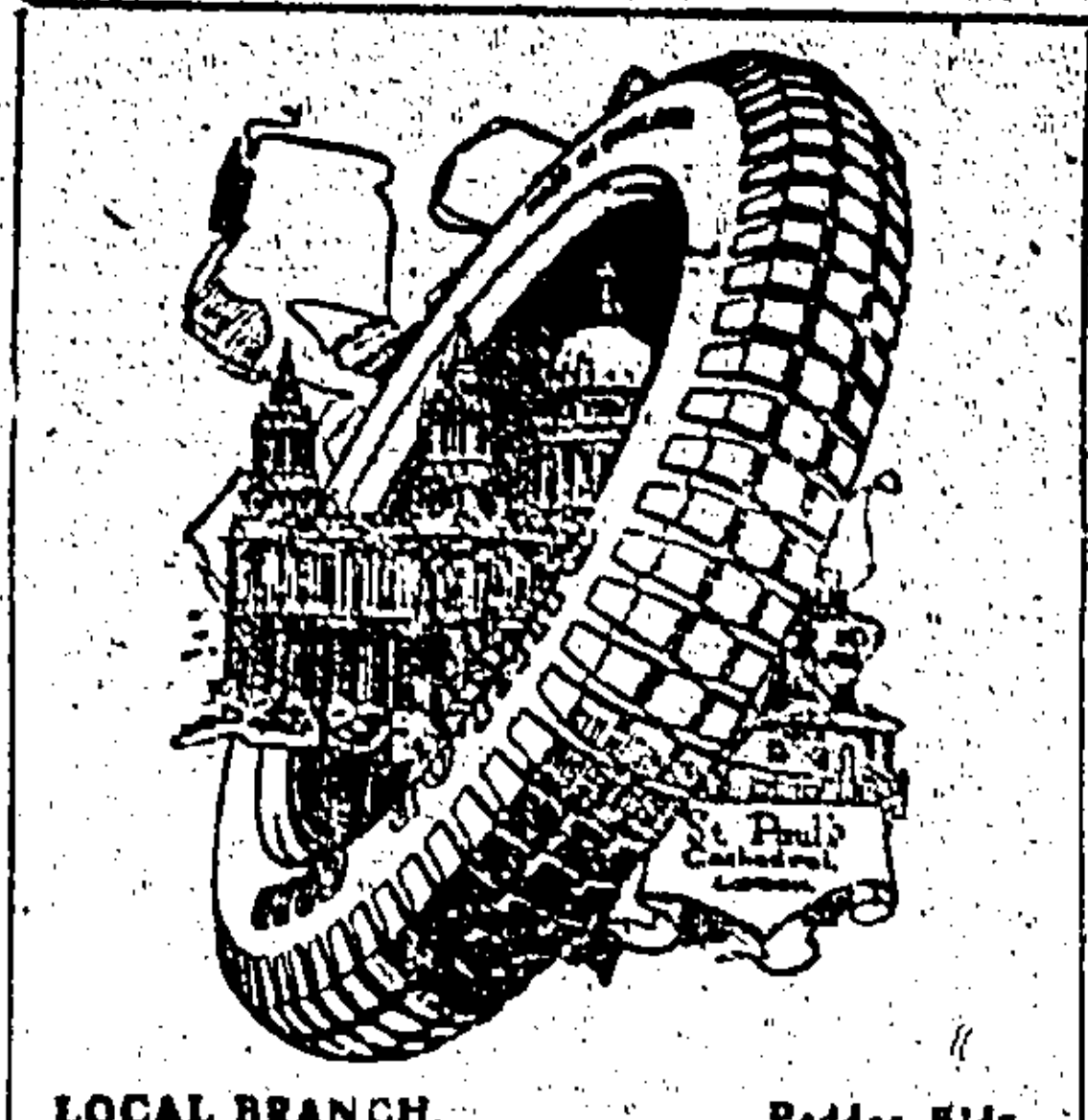


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**REMARKABLE GUN  
RUNNING  
ALLEGATIONS.**

**BIG BRITISH BANK'S  
CONNEXION.**

**BELFAST POLICE RIFLES  
FOR CHINA.**

**STORY DISCREDITED.**

London, Oct. 23.  
Allegations that a leading British bank was involved early in 1928 in certain gun-running transactions between Ireland and China were made in the King's Bench Division to-day when an action was brought against the bank for damages for breach of contract. The Bank denied that a contract was entered into and judgment was entered in their favour.  
The action was brought by Mr. William Rowntree Horend, of Newry, Co. Down, the defendants being the National and Provincial Bank, Ltd. Horend claimed damages for breach of contract, or alternatively, remuneration for employment by the Bank, who, he alleged, engaged him to carry out gun-running from Ulster to China on behalf of one of their customers.

**Bank Official's Evidence.**

Mr. Walter Cordy, the assistant manager of the Cardiff branch of the defendant bank, giving evidence for the defence, denied that there was any contract between the bank and Horend.  
He said that in February, 1928, the Cardiff branch had a credit of over £2,000 with instructions from a bank in China to pay it to a Cardiff firm against shipping documents, covering ten thousand rifles and ten million rounds of ammunition.  
The Bank, he said, had no other concern in the matter.

**Credit Returned.**

In March, 1928, they informed the bank in China that the latter's requirements were outside the scope of a banker's business and that the credit would be returned.  
The jury found that the plaintiff had not established the existence of a contract, and judgment was entered for the Bank, with costs.

The matter was later raised in the Northern Ireland House of Commons, when, replying to a question with regard to the supposed consignment of rifles, Sir Dawson Bates, the Minister for Home Affairs, said that the suggestion that arms had been purchased in Belfast and shipped to China was erroneous.

**Belfast Police Surplus.**

Sir Dawson Bates emphasised that before any proposal to purchase surplus arms in the custody of the police authorities would be entertained, the most searching inquiries would be made.  
The arrangements with regard to the disposal of such surplus stores would have to be carried out in accordance with the most stringent regulations.

He gave an assurance, therefore, that no such transaction as that suggested had occurred, or could possibly occur.—*Reuter.*

**GAMBLING CRAZE IN  
SHANGHAI.**

**COUNCIL TO CONSIDER THE  
WHOLE QUESTION.**

Shanghai, Oct. 24.  
An interchange of correspondence between the Director-General of the Shanghai Municipality, Mr. Fessenden, and the Commissioner of Police on the subject of gambling in the Settlement is published in to-day's *Gazette*.

Major Gerrard advocates the suppression of all gambling and contends that the various forms of commercialised gambling is the greatest incentive to crime. He declares that dog and pony meetings and hal-ai are a bad influence in Shanghai.  
Mr. Fessenden says the Council will consider the problem in all its aspects.—*Our Own Correspondent.*

**PRISON OUTRAGE  
SEQUEL.**

**CONVICT CHARGED AT THE  
POLICE COURT.**

**REMAND GRANTED.**

Before Mr. Williams, at the Central Police Court this morning, there was a sequel to the recent stabbing affair in Victoria Gaol which resulted in Mr. Bert Plumb, Acting Principal Warder, being seriously injured by a prisoner with a dagger.  
The prisoner was produced before his Worship on a charge of unlawfully and maliciously, by means of a dagger, wounding Bert Plumb, acting principal warder, on October 22, in Victoria Gaol, with intent to maim.

According to the charge sheet, the prisoner is Chin Siu-chung and is described as prisoner No. 1614, a native of Pun U.  
Detective Inspector Shannon appeared for the case for the Police and Mr. J. W. Franks, Superintendent of Victoria Gaol together with Chief Warder J. McLeod, were present in Court.

His Worship (to Mr. Franks):—You will be asking for committal?  
Mr. Franks:—It is a police case. Yes, we shall be asking for committal.

His Worship:—I suppose it is now just a case of asking for a remand?  
Inspector Shannon:—A formal remand for one week. It may be possible to hear some of the witnesses before Mr. Plumb comes out. That will be decided later on.

The prisoner was accordingly remanded for one week.  
His Worship enquired of Mr. Franks of the patient's condition, the Superintendent replying:—"I saw him this morning. He is not worse, but he is not out of danger by any means."

A life sentence is the maximum sentence within the Magistrate's power to inflict under the particular section of the Offences Against the Person Ordinance under which the defendant is charged.

**THE GERMAN MINE  
DISASTER.**

**EXPRESSIONS OF SYMPATHY  
FROM BRITAIN.**

**London, Oct. 23.**

The first business of the Central Committee of the Mining Association, at its meeting in London to-day, was to pass a vote of sympathy with the families and relatives of the victims of the German mine explosion disaster at Alsodorf. The vote was taken in silence, with all the members standing.

The General Council of the Trades Union Congress has also sent to the German Federation of Trades Unions a message of condolence.

As already reported, Sir Horace Rumbold, British Ambassador in Berlin, has conveyed a message from the King expressing his personal sympathy to President Hindenburg, and the British Government has also conveyed its profound sympathy to the German Government.

The death-roll is now estimated at 250.—*Reuter.*

**NEW MINES SCHEME  
APPROVED.**

**COMES INTO FORCE ON  
SATURDAY.**

**London, Oct. 23.**

Mr. E. Shinwell, Secretary for Mines, has approved a scheme submitted on behalf of the majority of the mineowners, and has appointed next Saturday as the date on which it comes into force.—*British Wireless.*

**SPANISH ROYALTY  
IN LONDON.**

**QUEEN AND DAUGHTERS  
WELCOMED.**

London, Oct. 23.  
The Queen of Spain and her two daughters, Princess Beatriz and Princess Maria Cristina, arrived in London this evening and were greeted by the Prince of Wales, Prince George and Princess Beatrice.—*British Wireless.*

**STERLING TRADE  
LOSSES.**

**STRIKING FIGURES IN  
LOCAL RETURNS.**

**SEPTEMBER REVEALS SOME  
IMPROVEMENT.**

**PIECE GOODS JUMP.**

Some very interesting figures are given in the Hongkong Trade Returns for September to-day published by the Statistical Branch of the Imports and Exports Department. Imports for the month totalled \$60,804,932, of which \$4,031,978 was treasure, compared with \$55,137,259 (treasure \$6,004,078) for August. Exports of merchandise dropped from \$40,139,196 in August to \$39,207,652. The total imports for the six months ended September 30 amounted to \$328,012,022, and the exports to \$276,050,762. These compare with \$652,042,820 and \$595,132,564 respectively for the whole of 1924.

**Sterling Trade Loss.**

It is pointed out that in terms of Hongkong currency the figures for the half year ended September 30, 1930, compare very favourably with the figures for the whole year 1924 which was, in many respects, well above average, but it should be borne in mind that the exchange value of the Hongkong dollar averaged 2s. 4½d. in 1924, whereas during the period under review in 1930 the average was only 1s. 4½d.

A further indication of the big drop in the sterling value of imports as compared with 1924 can be found in the fact that in 1924 no import figures were available for the South and Middle China trade, whereas the import trade already recorded from South and Middle China this year amounts to over \$30,000,000. As 1924 was a flourishing year, despite the unsettled state of South China at that time, it would be reasonable to presume that the South and Middle China trade in that period was at least proportionate to the figure already recorded this year, thus further accentuating the present sterling trade losses of the Colony.

**September Summary.**

The total imports of merchandise during September amounted to \$56,772,414, an increase of \$7,639,233 as compared with August, and \$10,511,718 above the average since April. The exports of merchandise during September, \$39,207,652, represent a decrease of \$931,544 compared with August, the average monthly figure since April being \$36,078,881.

The value of the import trade recorded in favour of the United Kingdom has steadily increased since June (\$3,596,630) to \$5,437,699 in August and \$6,291,423 in September, which last figure is an advance on the average since April (\$4,386,521); the United Kingdom percentage of the whole import trade of the Colony during September being 11% against an average of 9.4% since April and 13% for 1924.

Exports to United Kingdom for September at \$398,174 show little change, the average since April being \$280,948; the percentage of the whole export trade being 1.01% for September as compared with an average of 77% since April and 12% for 1924.

**Principal Customers.**

Following are the total dollar values of Imports and Exports of merchandise for the month of September from the following principal countries:—

	Imports	Exports
United Kingdom	6,291,423	398,174
China	14,901,418	19,816,091
French Indo-China	4,630,306	3,072,347
Germany	3,034,019	1,06,369
Japan	8,101,662	2,029,430
Neth. East Indies	5,702,431	1,600,104
Siam	2,427,868	2,237,787
U. S. A.	8,736,297	1,258,292

**Piece Goods Improve.**

In a special reference to the piece goods trade, it is stated that imports have largely increased since June, partly owing to the laying in of winter stocks. From \$4,292,518 in June, \$6,390,487 in July, \$9,822,638 in August, the figure jumped to \$13,282,976 in September.

Exports amounted to \$6,945,976 as against \$8,603,437 for August.

**RESEARCH WORK IN  
ANTARCTIC.**

**THE WILLIAM SCORESBY OFF  
AGAIN NEXT WEEK.**

**GALLANTRY REWARD.**

London, Oct. 23.  
The Royal Research Ship, William Scoresby, sails from London next Tuesday to resume her researches in the Antarctic and the neighbouring seas on which she has been employed since 1926. These investigations are carried out by the "Discovery" Committee, on behalf of the Falkland Islands Government, to whom the vessel belongs.

It was by her assistance that Sir Hubert Wilkins carried out his exploration of the air of Antarctic territories near Graham's Land during the southern summer.

The William Scoresby is only 134 feet long but has oil fuel to carry her for four thousand miles. By a large steam winch she can work a small trawl in over three thousand fathoms. Echo-sounding gear enables her to sound down to about 130 fathoms and a Lucas sounding machine has five thousand fathoms of wire.

She has two small engines for working water bottles, fine silk nets and other scientific gear and she carries a laboratory.

The purpose of her investigations is primarily an advancement of knowledge as to the distribution, migrations and conditions which affect whales, but she also attends to the possibilities of fishery development.

She has already conducted valuable travelling surveys around the Falkland Islands and will make others on reaching south.

Her complement will consist of seven officers and sixteen petty officers and men commanded by Lieutenant Commander Irving.

Before she sails, presentations will be made by Underwriters to Messrs. Roy and Sutherland her chief engineer and artificer respectively for their gallant action in diving repeatedly in icy waters off South Georgia to free her propeller when it was entangled with the trawl.—*British Wireless.*

**MEMORIES OF THE  
GREAT WAR.**

**BRITISH SUGGESTION TO  
ERADICATE.**

**London, Oct. 24.**

Almost on the eve of Armistice Day, the Foreign Office has approached all foreign Governments with a suggestion for the dropping henceforth of the custom of placing wreaths at Cenotaphs or at the Tombs of Unknown Warriors during official visits to various capitals.

The suggestion was made in order to eradicate memories of the Great War.

The proposal has been variously received in London; though it is recognised that the placing of wreaths on the Cenotaph has occasionally been used as a means of securing advertisement.—*Reuter.*

**FAIR WEATHER.**

The Royal Observatory reports that the anticyclone is central to the N.E. of Japan. Pressure is relatively low in the extreme south. The local forecast is:—East winds, moderate; fair.

The previous highest figure being \$4,985,329 in April.

Unbleached cottons accounted for \$485,970 of the imports; bleached cottons \$556,321, light cotton fabrics \$2,810,209, prints \$378,254, cotton sundries \$3,434,944, woollens \$3,434,809, silk \$1,428,386 and miscellaneous piece goods \$3,780,084.

**LIKELY TRANSFER  
OF LEGATIONS.**

**MAY GO TO NANKING  
IN-SUMMER.**

**SINO-RUSSIAN FRICTION  
INCREASES.**

**TELEGRAMS SEIZED.**

Shanghai, Oct. 23.  
According to authentic Nanking reports, some of the Foreign Legations in Peking are contemplating transfer from the former capital to Nanking, the seat of the National Government. This follows the cessation of the civil war, from which the Nanking Government emerged victorious.

The Nanking Government believes that the removal of the Legation Quarters will be effected some time next summer, when the political outlook, due to the impending unification of all political factions inside the Kuomintang and the carrying out of the Government's disarmament scheme, will be much improved.

**Parley Paralyzed.**

Harbin telegrams have confirmed the deadlock at the Sino-Soviet Conference in Moscow. Startling news concerning the high-handed action of the Soviet Government in censoring General Mo Teh-hui's telegrams to China, in which he reported on the cause of the deadlock, has also been received. It is alleged that many of General Mo's cables to the Manchurian Government have been seized.

The Manchurian Government has officially announced the despatch to China Proper of several squadrons of bombing planes, consisting of 36 machines, which will be concentrated at Peking. The Manchurian aerial forces at Peking will be under the control of General Yu Hsieh-zung, the Garrison Commander of the Manchurian forces in Peking and Tientsin.

Madame Chang Hsueh-liang, wife of the Manchurian Commander-in-Chief, left Mukden this morning for Peking, travelling along the Peking-Mukden Railway.

**Train Looted.**

A startling train robbery occurred yesterday along the Peking-Hankow Railway when the evening express, while proceeding to Hankow, was attacked by bandits, believed to have been former soldiers who were recently disbanded. These bandits fired at the train and killed four Chinese passengers, wounding several others.

The incident occurred near the Tsaitien Station and has caused some uneasiness among passengers travelling between Peking and Hankow. The soldiers boarded the train and robbed all the passengers. They made off with booty consisting principally of jewellery and money.

The through express from Peking and Kirin met with a serious accident yesterday when six passenger coaches were derailed, resulting in the destruction of one of the coaches. One passenger was killed and thirty injured.

**Kalgan Entered.**

Some 3,000 Manchurian troops entered Kalgan, in Western Chihli, near the Shansi frontier, yesterday, following a pre-arrangement with the Shansi forces which retired early this week. The Manchurian occupation was effected in the most peaceful manner.

The Kalgan populace welcomed the new-comers who are bringing into Kalgan heavy artillery and war tanks. The Shansi troops retreating from Kalgan are erecting fortifications at the important passes on the Shansi Provincial frontier.

The Shansi evacuation of Kalgan marks the departure from Chihli of the last of the Shansi soldiers.

**U.S. MARINE FALLS  
TO DEATH.**

**TRAGEDY AT SHANGHAI  
BILLET.**

Shanghai, Oct. 23.  
Private John Ferguson Haddow, of the United States Marine Corps, was killed yesterday afternoon when he fell from the third floor of his billet at No. 30, Ferry Road, Shanghai.

**NEW JUNIOR LORD  
OF TREASURY.**

**MR. C. THURTELL SUCCEEDS  
MR. A. BARNES.**

**SERVED IN THE WAR.**

London, Oct. 23.  
Following the resignation of Mr. Alfred Barnes, M.P., Mr. Ernest Thurtell, M.P., has been appointed Junior Lord of the Treasury (unpaid).

The Junior Lords of the Treasury are accordingly as follows:—Messrs. J. A. Parkinson, C. Edwards, W. Whiteley, W. Paling, E. Thurtell, the last two being unpaid.—*British Wireless.*

Mr. Barnes, who retired from office as Chairman of the London Co-operative Society in 1923, is Chairman of the Co-operative Party. He is one of the Labour Whips and at the last election was returned for East Ham (South) by a majority of over 10,000 in a three-cornered contest. He has sat for this division since 1922.

Mr. Thurtell has been M.P. for Shoreham since 1923. He was formerly an accountant and salesman. He served in the European War, first in the ranks and then as an officer, being severely wounded at Cambrai. Later, he became actively identified with the Ex-Services Men's Movement. He was Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister of Pensions in the first Labour Government.

**PLEA FOR NATIONAL  
GOVERNMENT.**

**FREEDOM FROM TYRANNY  
OF PARTY.**

London, Oct. 23.  
A truly National Government, consisting of leading men of all parties, and an independent Council of producers, traders, working men and economists free from the tyranny of party politics, was urged as the way to national prosperity by Sir Felix Schuster, a life-long Free Trader at a banquet arranged by the Lincoln Chamber of Commerce.

Taxation, said Sir Felix, should be so cut as to restore capital to industry, and the "total disregard of economy by Parliament, Municipalities and individuals" should be ended.

Safeguarding and Colonial preference, he added, held out the best prospect for British industries against subsidies and bounties abroad, which allowed dumping in Britain.—*Reuter.*

**SOLICITOR CHARGES  
CAR DRIVER.**

**FINE OF \$25 FOR RECKLESS  
DRIVING.**

Mr. E. Davidson, of Messrs. Denny and Bowley, was the complainant in a summons before Mr. Lindsell this morning against a Chinese car driver, who was charged with reckless driving, at Stubbs Road at 9.30 a.m. on the 14th instant.

The police stated that defendant overtook a lorry at a bend, going up Stubbs Road, at the same time that another car was coming down from the opposite direction, in which Mr. Davidson was travelling.

A fine of \$25 was inflicted.

**THE NEW PALESTINE  
REGIME.**

**JEW MAY INSTITUTE A  
BOYCOTT.**

Jerusalem, Oct. 23.  
The Jewish National Council has held an eight-hour meeting, at which it is understood it was unanimously decided to issue a statement to the Government declining to participate in the new Legislative Council, or to have any share in parliamentary institutions, on the ground that they are calculated to arrest the establishment of a Jewish national home.

According to the local press, all sections of Jewry are adhering to this decision.—*Reuter.*

**TRAGIC DISASTER  
BEFALLS  
BRETON FISHERS.**

**HOPES FOR MISSING  
SHIPS GIVEN UP.**

**OVER TWO HUNDRED MEN  
LOSE LIVES.**

**WEEKS OF ANXIETY.**

Having refused to believe the worst in spite of the passing of week after week, the fisherfolk of Brittany are now mourning the loss of over two hundred men in the terrible gale which created such havoc in the Atlantic and the English Channel on September 19 last. It is the most tragic disaster that has fallen upon these courageous people for years.

Night and day anxious wives and mothers have remained on the beaches at the various picturesque fishing villages along the coast, Concarneau, Lorient, etc., scanning the seas in the hope of seeing the return of their loved ones, while eight destroyers of the French Navy have scoured a tremendous area, effecting several rescues, but failing to trace the large majority of the missing vessels.

**Twenty Boats Lost.**

Fortunately only twenty smacks of the original fleet of 200, which set out from Concarneau and neighbouring fishing ports on a tunny fishing expedition about ten days before the storm, are still unaccounted for.

The expedition generally lasts for two or three weeks, and while it became known that the whole flotilla had been caught in the terrific gale, hope ran high that the result had been a mere dispersal and that the buffeted smacks would find their back to their home ports.

**Survivors Stories.**

In the first three days, 130 returned, limping into harbour, some without sails or masts, and many of them with stories of members of the crew washed overboard. A number of others were badly injured and had to be taken to hospital.

All the smacks had suffered damage, and most of them lost their nets.

Of the seventy smacks missing when the first alarm was felt, fifty have since found haven, some of them after being adrift for days.

It was known on September 23 that at least 50 men had perished, and the total has now mounted to 203.

**Over Hundred Widows.**

In a cable from Quimper, an important town in Brittany, this morning, *Reuter* says that hope for the return of the remaining twenty Breton tunny-fishing boats who were caught in the storm of September 19, has been abandoned.

Thus 203 fishermen perished. The disaster is unprecedented in Breton fishing annals.

The worst feature is that 127 women have been widowed and 193 children orphaned, and the majority of these families are financially distressed.

**SHAMEN COURT  
CASE.**

**ALLEGED EMBEZZLEMENT OF  
\$2,500.**

Shamen, Oct. 23.  
Before Mr. A. A. L. Tison, H.B.M. Consul, in the British Consular Court here, Ratanchand Jerandas Keswani, charged with embezzlement of sums amounting to about \$2,500 from his former employers, Messrs. D. D. Gehmull Bros., of Canton, was again before the Court to-day.

Accused was remanded on bail for a period of seven days in order that the defence might complete the examination of the books of the complainant company.—*Our Own Correspondent.*



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**PRISONER SUFFERING FROM TYPHOID.**

CASE AGAINST WOMAN HAS TO BE DROPPED.

The sudden illness of a prisoner who contracted typhoid fever defeated the course of justice when it was announced before Mr. Williams, at the Central Police Court yesterday, that, as the witnesses could not await the recovery of the prisoner, the prosecution had to drop the case and have the accused banished.

The defendant, a woman, named Ho Kiu, was charged with having brought a married woman into the Colony for the purposes of taking her abroad and also with harbouring a boy and girl under the age of fourteen years.

Mr. R. S. Jenyns, of the Secretariat for Chinese Affairs, appeared for the prosecution and informed his Worship that the defendant had been taken to Hospital suffering from typhoid fever and that she would not be fit for discharge for at least six weeks. The parents of the boy and girl were present but it was hard to expect them to remain in the Colony for such a long period. He thought they would be prepared to drop the charge but, upon their statements, the defendant could be banished on her recovery.

Detailing the events leading to the woman's arrest, Mr. Jenyns said that she, together with the three persons mentioned in the charges, went to the S.C.A. to be examined under the Emigration Ordinance in preparation for going to Singapore on board the s.s. Takada. The defendant told the authorities that the children were her own while the married woman was being taken to her husband.

Sergeant Smith, who interrogated the people, found that the woman and children did not confirm the defendant's statement. They indicated that they had no desire to go to Singapore. The girl said that she and her brother had been kidnapped from their village and then sold to the defendant for \$300. The defendant knew they had been kidnapped but she refused to allow them to return to their home. They were then brought to Hongkong with the intention of being taken to Singapore.

The married woman's story was that she had run away from her husband, who had been cruel to her and on her way to Hongkong to search for employment she had met the defendant, who had offered to take her to Singapore but, on refusing, she was forced by threats to accompany her to a house, where she met the children. They were then all brought to Hongkong with the intention of being taken to Singapore.

His Worship said that all he could do was to adjourn the case sine die, which he did.

**MOTOR AUCTION.**

PUBLIC SHY OF BIDDING YESTERDAY.

That Hongkong purchasers have not yet become used to buying cars through auction sales, was the reason advanced by Mr. Whitta, proprietor of Whitta's Motor Auctions, Kowloon, when he conducted an auction of motor cars yesterday at which buyers were shy of bidding, but displayed willingness to bargain after the auction had closed.

As a result of this, Mr. Whitta was able to sell some \$5,585 worth of cars through private transactions after the same vehicles under the hammer had been refused by the buyers.

Mr. Whitta stated that the same thing occurred last week, when following the public auction he disposed of several cars through private agreement.

These auctions, however, are likely to become extremely popular, as they allow purchasers to obtain good value at reasonable prices.

**SEQUEL TO EXPLOSION AT MONGKOK.**

CRACKER FACTORY MANAGER AND FOREMAN FINED.

Arising out of the fatal cracker explosion at 604, Reclamation Street, in which a little girl was the victim, the manager of the Kwong Man Loong cracker factory and his foreman appeared before Mr. Butters, at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday, on a summons against them for having caused crackers to be manufactured in a place other than a factory. Two women, Chung Hi and Pun Yat, were charged with manufacturing crackers in a place other than a factory. They all pleaded "guilty." Mr. M. K. Lo appeared for all the defendants.

Addressing the court on behalf of the manager and the foreman, Mr. Lo said that he wished to plead in mitigation of the offence. He had been instructed by the Kwong Man Loong Company to express their real and sincere regret at the unfortunate accident to the little girl, which resulted in her death, and he also expressed profound sympathy with the girl's family.

He wished to say that the accident was not really due to the danger arising from what the two women were doing, but to the fact that a joss stick had been applied to the fuse. The Company had been carrying on their business in Hongkong for 23 years, and, up to April, it was an absolutely widely known practice to send out packets of crackers to outside workers to have the finishing touches put to them and, throughout those 23 years, there had never been any accident.

In April this year the manager had been warned that the practice of giving crackers out should be stopped. Since that warning no crackers had been issued to outside workers. On April 5 there were two issues of crackers, but that was before the warning. After the warning, the foreman had gone round to search for the two women, but they had left for the country. The crackers which caused the explosion were the same as those issued on April 5.

Nobody thought that there would be any danger in this practice, but in view of the accident, the Kwong Man Loong people would take extra care that nothing of that kind would ever happen again, and that this practice would not be repeated. In the circumstances, he asked that a lenient view of the case be taken.

Mr. Butters said that he considered any breach of that particular Ordinance was, more or less, a serious matter, owing to the danger which might be involved. In view of the facts put before him, and in view of the undertaking that nothing of the kind would happen again, he was compelled to reduce the penalty. But, he would like to make it clear that, if a case of a similar nature came up again, he would have to impose the maximum penalty.

The Manager was fined \$100, the foreman \$50, and the two women \$10 each.

**IMPRISONMENT AND THE "CAT."**

TWO MEN CONVICTED IN THE PILKEM STREET CASE.

The Criminal Sessions case arising out of the Pilkem Street affray concluded before Mr. Justice Jackson yesterday afternoon, when the jury convicted the first and third prisoners, Lok Shan and Lok Shan-sung respectively, and brought in a verdict of "not guilty" against the second man, Wong Kai-fuk, who was discharged. The convicted men were each sentenced to three years' imprisonment with hard labour, and twelve strokes with the "cat."

Prisoners were charged with assaulting three other Chinese on the evening of August 7, this year, but prisoners all stated that the charge and evidence had been fabricated by witnesses for the

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**A CORRUPT CITY.**

CAMPAIGN TO CLEAN UP SHANGHAI.

Shanghai, Oct. 23. A profound sensation has been created in Shanghai by the announced intention of the police, acting on the instructions of the Municipal Council, to cope with all forms of commercialized gambling in the Settlement, which, according to the Commissioner of Police, is behind most of the violent crime here.

In letters exchanged between the Director General of the Council and the Commissioner of Police, it is stated that Shanghai is more corrupt in comparison with other cities of the same size elsewhere in the world, the situation demanding drastic treatment.

**Incident for Murder.**  
An instance of the influence of gambling on crime is given by the Police Commissioner, who states that one of the murderers of the late Mr. Jack Harder, who was killed on a Whampoa Conservancy launch when he was robbed of \$27,000, confessed when caught that he had engineered the crime to get the money for gambling in a well-known gambling centre here, where he subsequently lost his share of the proceeds.

**Greyhound Shares Slump.**  
The shares of the greyhound racing concerns have already slumped, but are expected to crash if the public loses its head in anticipation of police moves. The Japanese community have already been forbidden by their Consul to go to dog racing, pony racing or "hai alai." It is believed in the circles concerned that the Municipal Council and police have definitely decided to clean up Shanghai within the next twelve months.—Our Own Correspondent.

Crown in order to get them (accused) into trouble.

When asked if they had anything to say as to why sentence should not be passed upon them, both first and third prisoners declared that they were innocent.

In passing sentence, his Lordship described it as a very serious offence and said that serious injuries had been caused.

Addressing the jury, his Lordship expressed thanks for the patient manner in which they had listened to a very tedious case, and stated he would direct they should not be called upon for further jury service for a period of two years.



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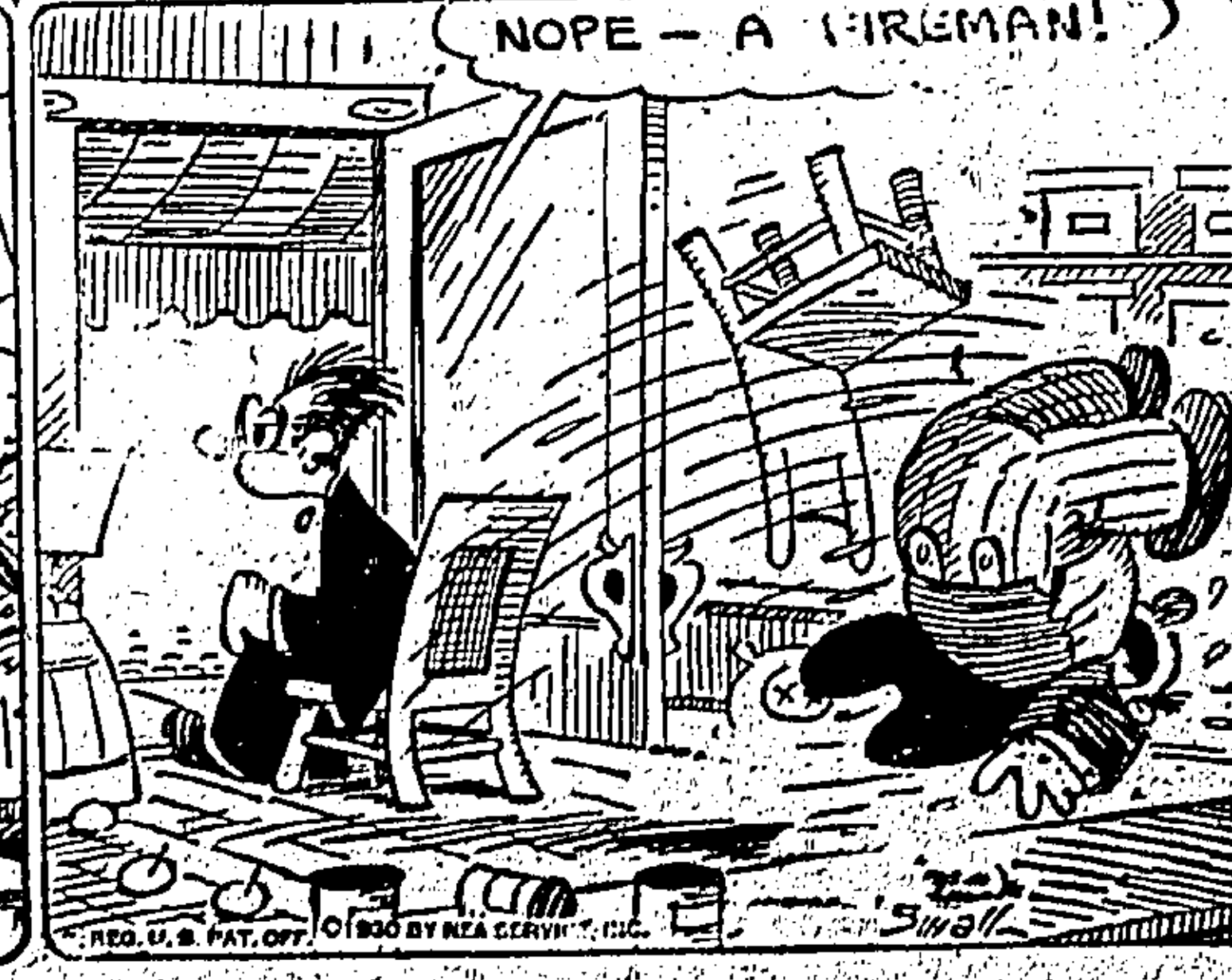
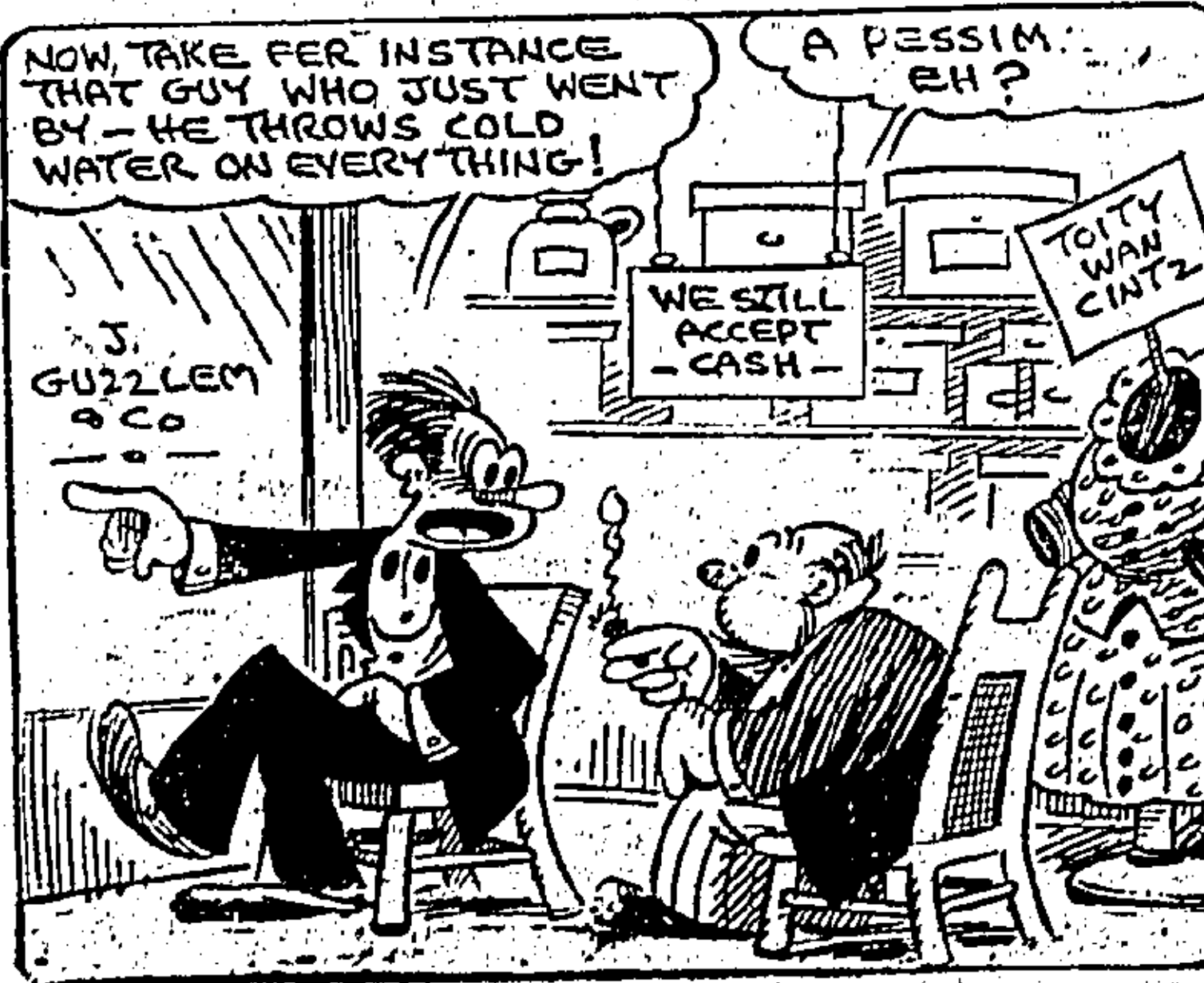
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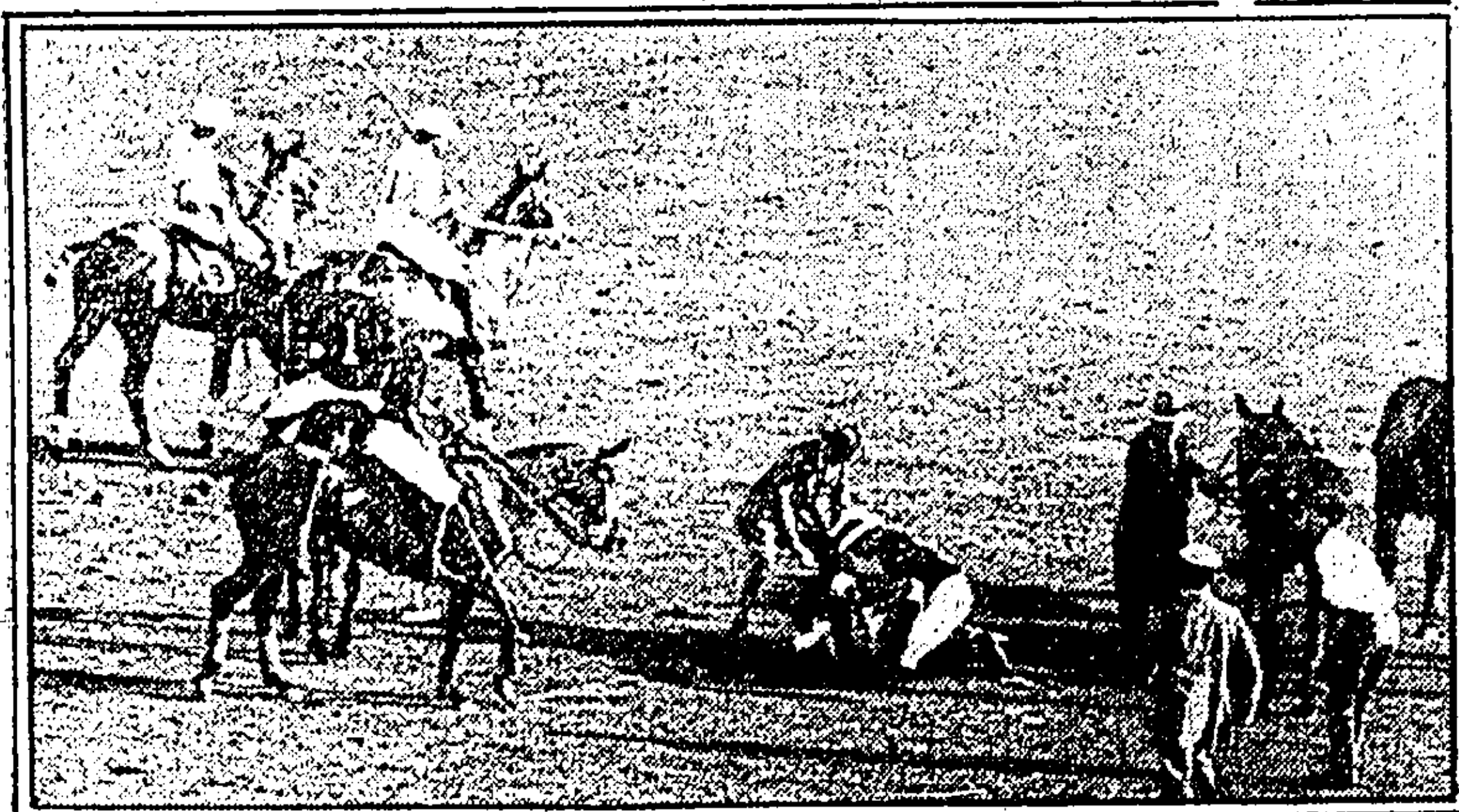




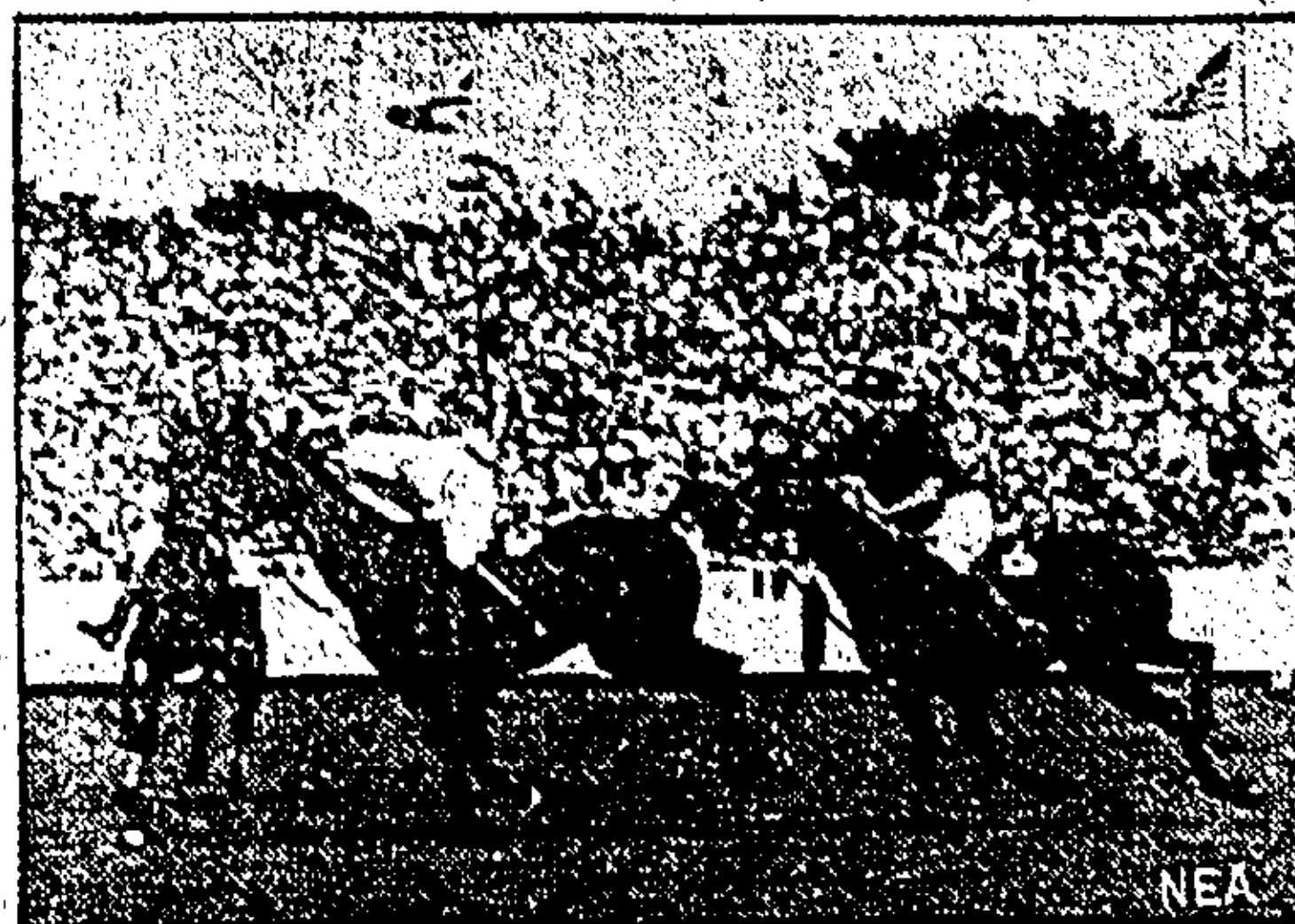
Riding hard, pony to pony, mallets flashing, America and Britain's greatest polo stars are pictured in action in the bitterly fought international match which clinched world supremacy for the United States team, 14 to 9, at Meadow Brook. Winston Guest, the American back, is shown hitting the ball as Gerald Balding, No. 1 on the British team, was forced aside. Seen pulling up short at the left are Captain Thomas Hitchcock (in white shirt) of the American four, and Lewis Lacey, British No. 2.



An accident marred the fiercely contested match. Pat Roark, No. 3 of the British four, and Winston Guest, American back, collided during a fast moment of play. Guest was hurled to the turf, stunned. Note that Guest's mount had not regained his footing when this picture was made.



Roark was the first to reach the fallen Guest's side. Here the British star is pictured bent over the form of the injured American poloist, administering first aid while play was temporarily halted.



Hopping, the youngest player in the match, outriding an opponent in an exciting bit of action.



Some of the greatest names in American Society and business were represented among the 45,000 persons who saw the U.S. and British polo teams meet at Meadowbrook, in the tenth international match. Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Astor are shown at the top. Centre are Mr. and Mrs. August Heckscher. Below—Mr. C. V. (Sonny) Whitney, and Miss Adele Astair.

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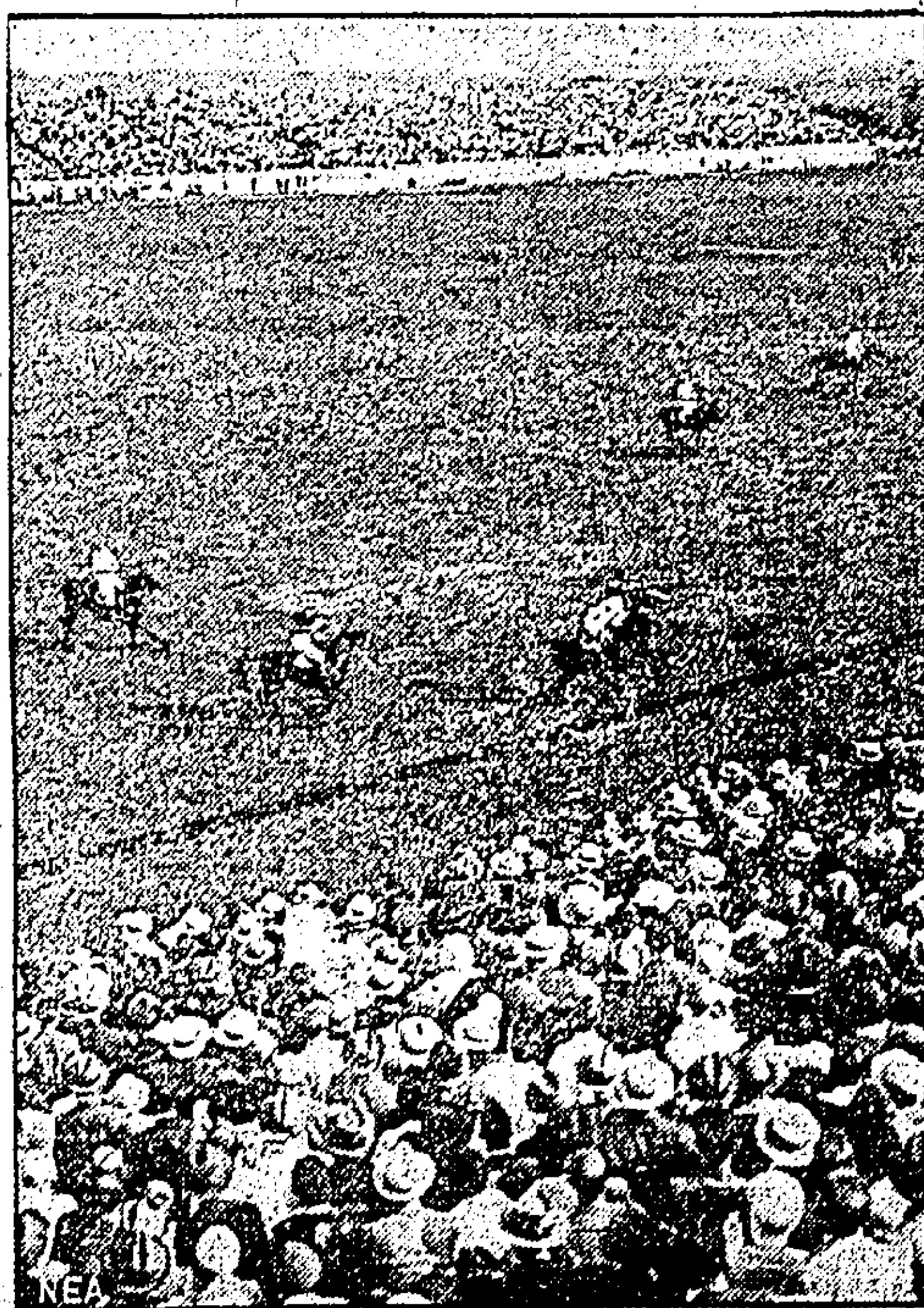
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# WOMEN'S WORLD FOR OUR LADY READERS.

## PARIS MILLINERY.

### Berets Still Fashionable.

The very latest millinery-revelation is the *tricorn*, and it would seem to offer the ideal answer to the question: "To brim, or not to brim?" It is less trying than the stark, brimless turban, more manageable than the large hat.

It is jaunty, and at the same time perkily feminine.

Of course, the 1830 *tricorn* often only bear the faintest family resemblance to their eighteenth century ancestors. The idea is to have the *tricorn* brim rolled up and away. "Life" is their motto. And they should never be quite symmetrical, nor violently asymmetrical either.

*Bicorn*, brothers to *tricorn*, are also good. Their brims are much draped, and their point curves down towards the shoulders in a very becoming manner.

Women still like *berets*, and they will wear them. They are draped high here and there, at whatever point your facial architecture suggests. They may suggest the skirt of bagpipes, being pulled down to the back of the neck, and looking rather like the tam-o'-shanter.

Often they are mounted on contrasting *bandeaux*, of gros-grain ribbon, or they are crocheted out of something—any old thing that lends itself to the crocheting hook.

If a *beret* suits you, one of the new black velvet ones, caught at the side with an enormous diamond pin or brooch will be adorably becoming.

The new crocheted hats for sports wear are having a success. They are made just like old-fashioned stocking caps, and you drape them to please yourself. A bunch of panicles, a single rose, a white or pink camellia added against your right cheek will dress them up for afternoon.

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NOTHING



BUT FOR THAT MATTER—  
WE DO, TOO!

## FASHION DEMANDS

### Slim Ankles.

The shape of the ankles is more than ever important this season. Long evening gowns accentuate their lines while just revealing them. Women are having paraffin packs, exercises, and massages with red-irradiation cream to slim the ankles and make them shapely.

American visitors to England have set a fashion for taking regular foot treatments. The habit becomes stronger after holidays spent on the Continent, where beauty specialists give foot massage, lotions, and perfumed baths to a greater extent than they do in London.

Many women have their ankles, feet, and toes massaged twice a week. An astringent lotion is applied after the massage to tone up the muscles.

Regular fortnightly treatments include, besides massage, a short electrical treatment and pedicure. The chiropodist sends her clients on to the make-up expert if they require a nail varnish and polish. Some women demand a scarlet varnish for toe as well as finger nails.

Pine lotion is recommended for home use when the feet become tired after walking or dancing.

## PAUSE AND THINK.

### Stop Being "Sorry."

So many people have a habit of saying "sorry" when they don't really mean it. They go through life apologising on all hands, without realising it in the least.

It is nothing but mannerism. We have all seen two pedestrians meet on the causeway and stop dead in front of each other. Both murmur "Sorry" and step out of the way.

At least, that is the intention: as a matter of fact one steps to the right and the other to the left and there—as mother used to say when learning her dancing steps—and so the popping from side to side goes on. Eventually one stays but long enough for the other to dash past and they go on their respective ways feeling quite unnecessarily foolish.

Naturally you are sorry when you bump into anyone accidentally, but why does the other person also remark "Sorry?"

The conductor in the tram-car drops your change—and then you mumble "Sorry." Why? It wasn't your fault.

At the boarding-house breakfast table you ask the girl opposite to pass the marmalade. She does so, accompanying the act by the word "sorry." What on earth is there to be sorry about? It is quite usual for one to desire marmalade and no sympathy is needed. You don't want her to condescend with you, and she isn't sorry for you. She merely says it without thinking.

So next time you are going to say "sorry," just pause and think. Have you done something to be sorry for? Or is it merely a figure of speech?

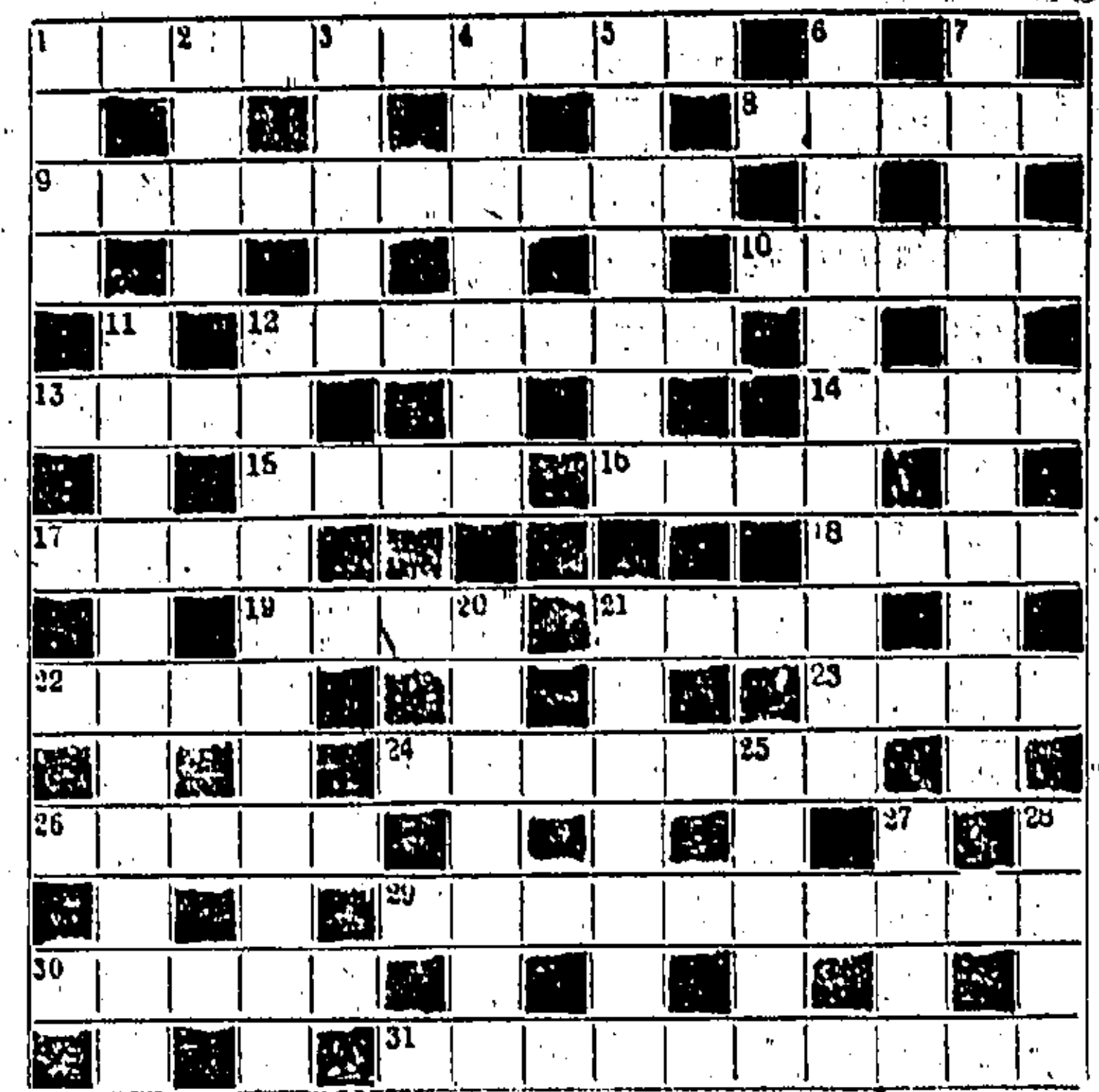
MARY KEER in *Exchange*.

## A New Note.



An individual note is struck in this green knitted jersey by the introduction at the hem of a conventional design of trees worked in orange and black. The model is worn with a wool crepe skirt the same shade of green.

## OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS.



### Across

- 1 "Hit I met cart" (anag.).
- 8 This kind of deed may be done in pursuit of its valuable anagram.
- 9 Appertaining to one next in dignity to a mayor.
- 10 This little country has a Prince of its own.
- 12 Pertaining to wading birds.
- 13 There was no speed limit when he drove furiously.
- 14 Legally, this backward pace is a wrong.
- 15 You would know this clue if you were it.
- 16 A figure which airmen describe with ease.
- 17 A young ox, turned round little children.
- 18 This chap sounds catty, so perhaps it is as well that he lives a good way away.
- 19 This schoolboy deteriorated gradually.
- 21 Dig a large hole and all the roots will go in (hidden).
- 22 This rot gives rise to amusement.
- 23 Fan it and find a bird.
- 24 Worship.
- 25 Humorous and peculiar.
- 26 This rural craftsman is famed in verse in association with arboreal shade.
- 30 Than to be this no one can desire more of life.
- 31 "Lands a mare."

### Down

- 1 His habitat is the desert—or the street.

- 2 Poetically India.
- 3 One who pays for the use of things or for services.
- 4 Gore must be shed before Ena is given power.
- 5 One letter, first.
- 6 With chicken for lunch, the first part may be on the second in this piece of armour.
- 7 "Clear the pig" (anag.).
- 11 This force acts in opposition to that of gravity.
- 12 See I down.
- 20 This makes the letter "C" sibilant.
- 21 An ancient province of Spain.
- 25 In Hindu mythology, the King of the Serpents.
- 27 Understanding or obey.
- 28 Scorch, a short female worker.

### Yesterday's Solution.

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## NEW DIVING APPARATUS.

350 FEET INSTEAD OF 150.

A new diving apparatus recently introduced into the Navy has proved so successful that the Admiralty have adopted it for general use. Specially selected men are being chosen to operate this device. These men, who must possess a high standard of physical fitness, will be ranked as "Deep Divers" and given extra pay at the rate of 9d. a day if they are seamen, and 1s. 2d. a day if they are artificers. In the past, diving in the Navy has not usually been done at a greater depth than 150 ft. But, using the new apparatus, divers can descend to a depth of 350 ft.

These depths are made possible by the employment of a submerged decompression chamber, which is the novel feature of the new device. A man wearing ordinary diving dress, strengthened to withstand the great pressure of water met with at extreme depths, is sent down in the customary way. But instead of his returning to the surface by slow stages, the decompression chamber—a sort of diving-bell—is lowered to meet him. On his way up he enters this chamber through a door in the bottom. The door is then closed, making the chamber watertight, and it is hoisted out of the water. As the diver goes into the chamber, an attendant on duty inside it removes his helmet and gives him oxygen to breathe, at the same time lowering the air pressure in accordance with a scale which shows how the air must be regulated to ensure the diver's safety. By this means all risk of "diver's head," which has so far been the great drawback to deep diving, is avoided.

When a diver is working at great depths his blood becomes aerated by the nitrogen which gets into it. If he were to return to the surface too quickly it would probably be fatal. To overcome this danger the practice has been, hitherto, to push the diver into a decompression chamber immediately he reaches deck and leave him there until his blood condition has become normal. The new system has a great advantage over the older one in that by it the decompression chamber is sent down to meet the diver instead of awaiting him on deck. Consequently as his dangerous journey back to the surface is much shortened he is able to work in far greater depths of water than it was possible for him to explore under the older method.

For diving in shallow waters the new device for enabling men to escape from wrecked submarines can be used. This device consists of a sort of jacket belted tightly at the waist and a head-dress somewhat resembling the familiar gas mask. A nose piece pinches the nostrils tightly together and through the mouth the wearer breathes oxygen from a small receptacle worn on the breast, which contains enough oxygen to keep a man alive under the water for a considerable length of time. All our submarines are being equipped with this device, and their crews trained to don it quickly in an emergency.

## FLETCHER'S HAIR TONIC

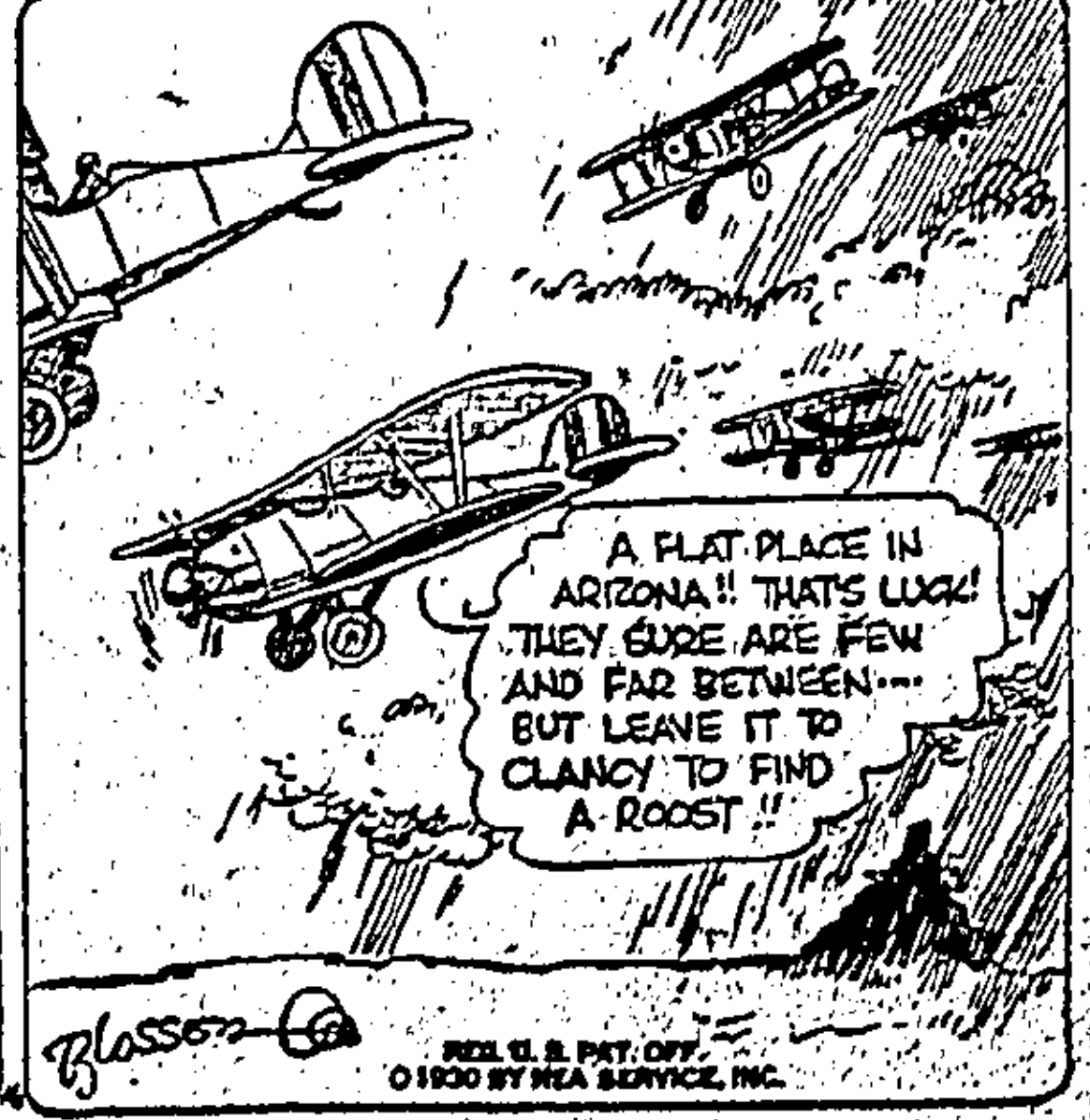
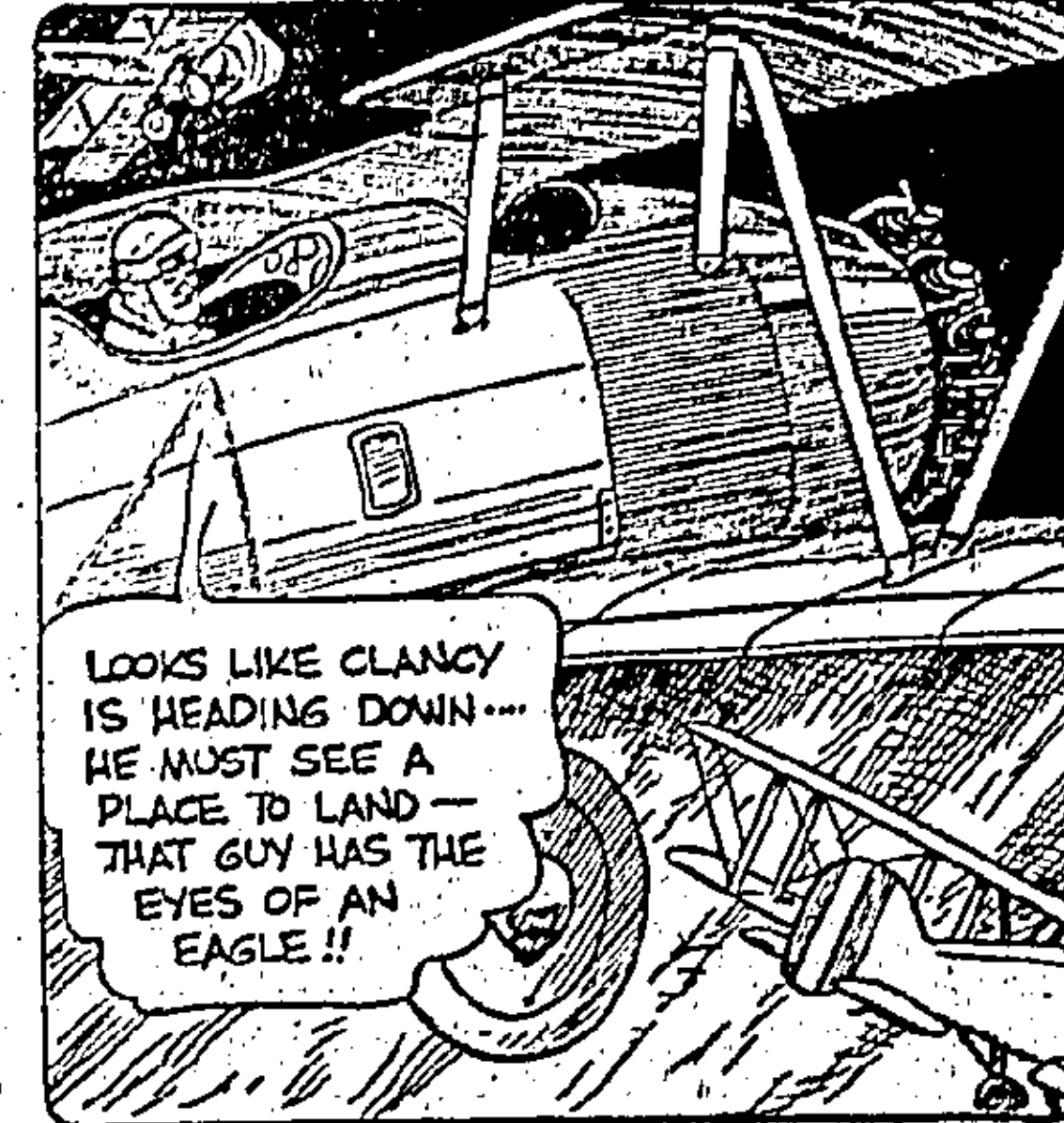
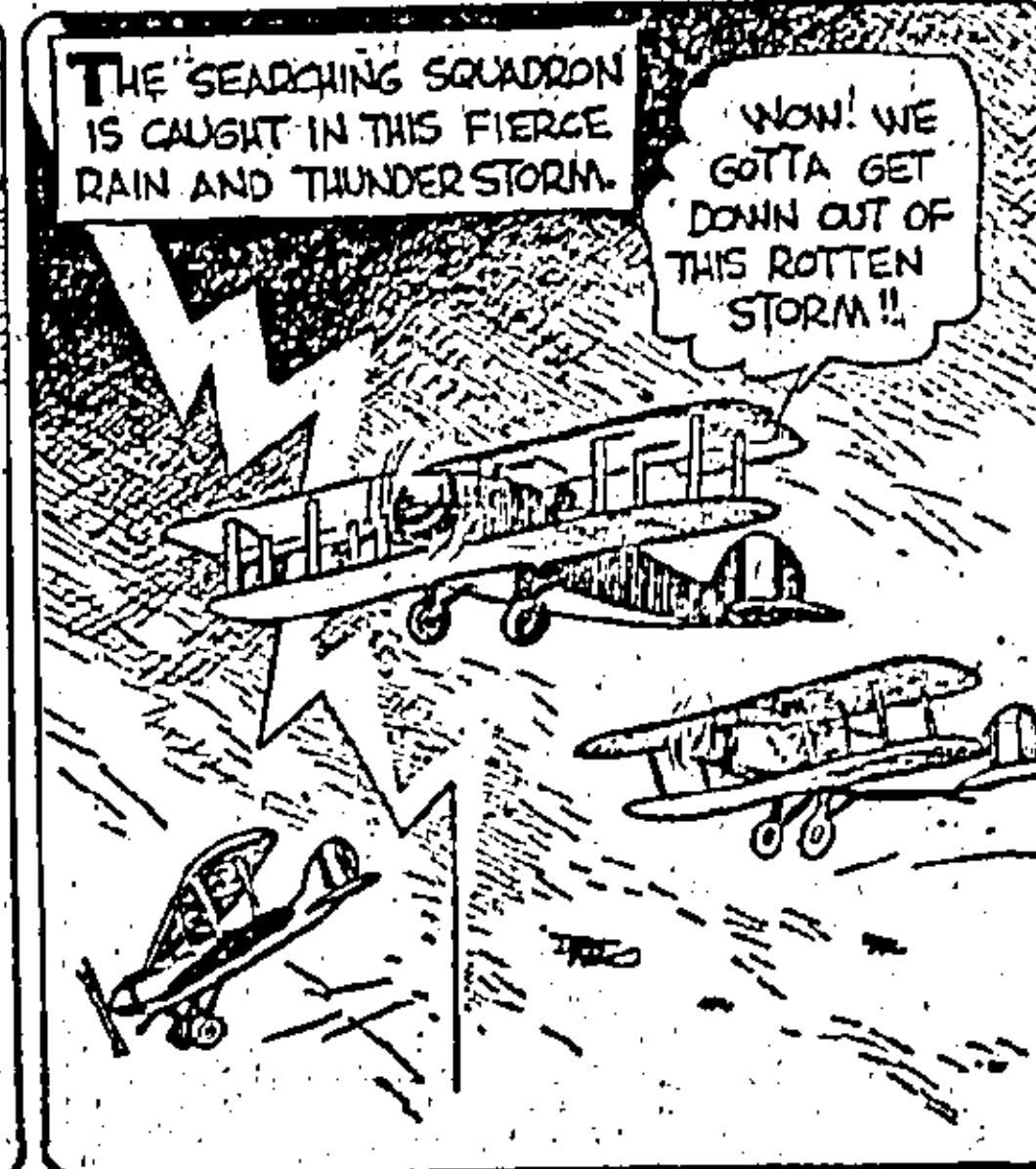
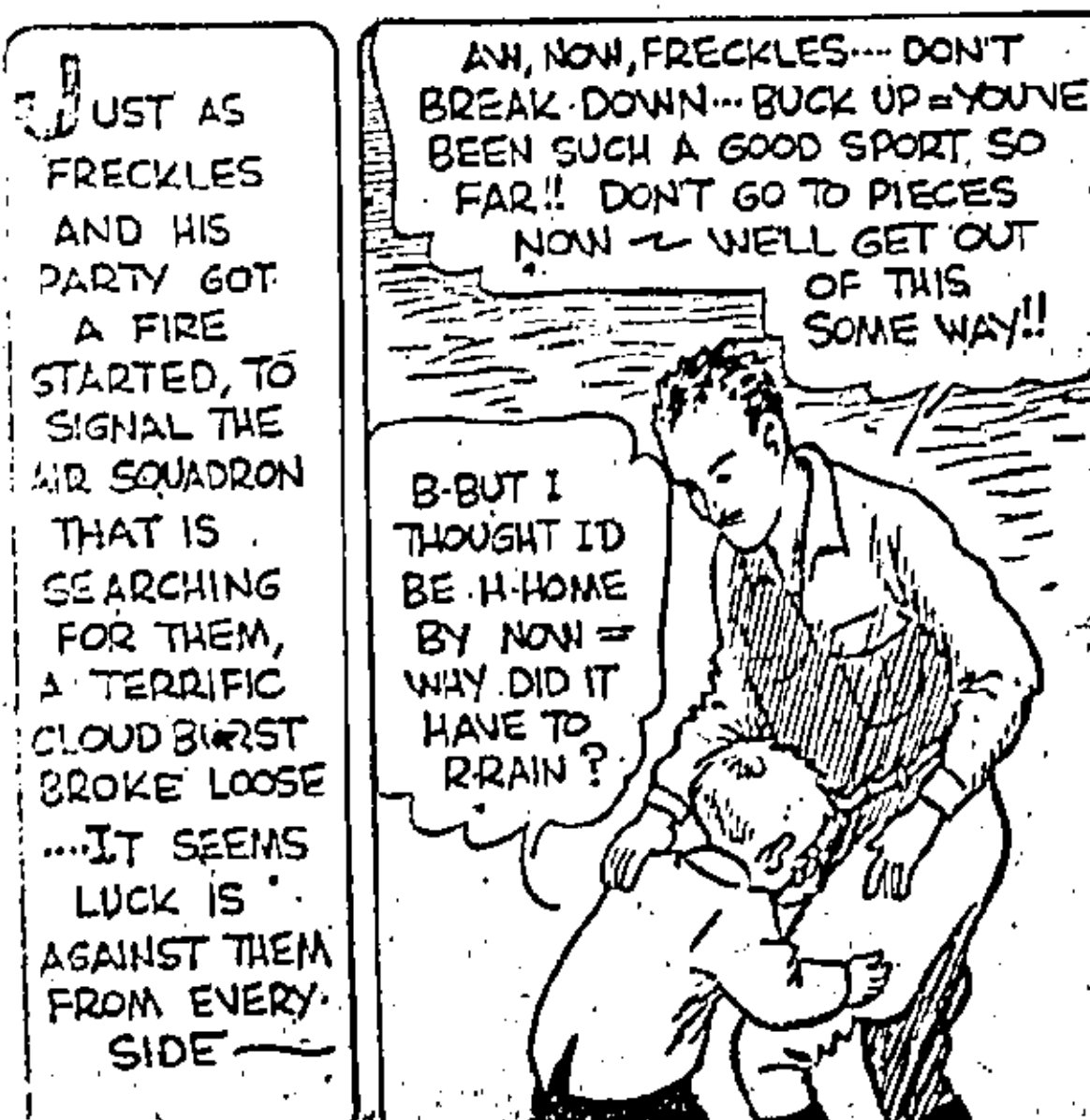
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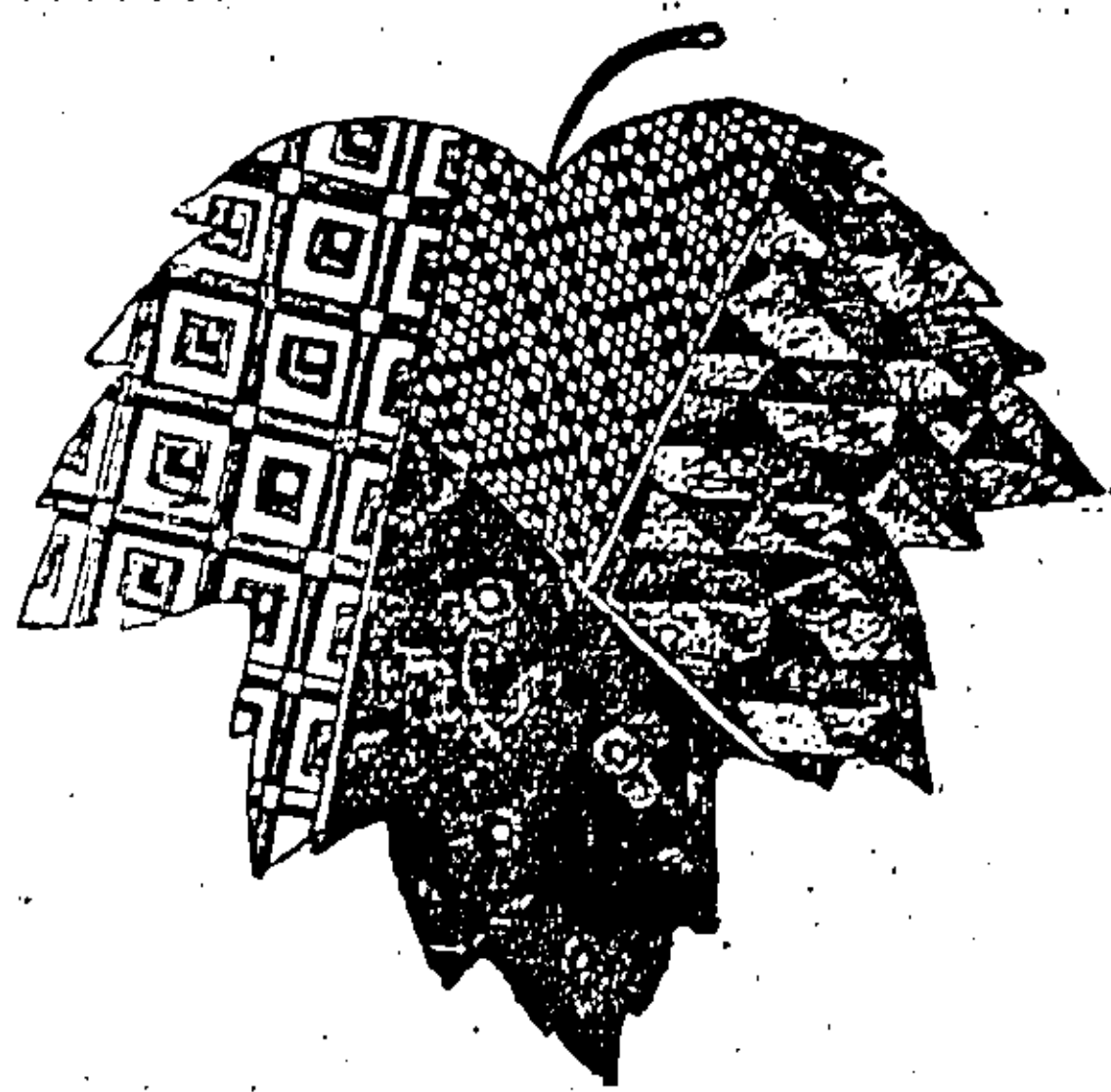
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FRIDAY, OCT. 24, 1930.

THE JEWISH OUT-  
BURST.

The wild burst of resentment exhibited by normally long-headed Jews in consequence of the re-statement of British policy in Palestine is astonishing to the unprejudiced observer of the social and economic problems of that sorely harassed country. It seems hardly credible that even those who now prate of British treachery could have entirely missed the significance of last year's disturbances. Or were we wrong in thinking it accepted on all hands that the Wailing Wall riots were but an incident in a much larger problem, that the root of the trouble rested in the fear, deep set in the hearts of the Bedouins, that the wave of immigration which under the impulse of the Zionist movement was threatening to inundate the country, would ultimately result in their exclusion from the soil which has been their sole source of livelihood for upwards of a thousand years? Resistance was natural to a largely illiterate people. The wonder is that the high-minded men who threw their heart and soul into the cause of Zionism did not foresee the development; or sensing the danger, seek to allay the apprehensions of the Arabs by a clear-cut policy, making ample provision for the welfare of the fellahs. The British Government, which must bear its full share of the responsibility for the failure to give real guarantees of the economic future of the Arab population, in seeking to remedy a fault has drawn a hornet's nest about its ears.

Doubtless a good deal of the agitation is inspired by Anglophobes of the John Haynes Holmes type. This gentleman who apparently does not mind whether he supports the Jews or the Arabs but is merely enthusiastic in his allegations against Great Britain, cannot even claim "righteous indignation" at the "new" statement of policy. He happens to be the author of a book published quite recently, after three weeks' stay in Palestine at the beginning of 1929, in which his bitter criticism of the British administration cannot entirely be explained by the fact that he was writing for

an American public. Like the majority of the critics, he entirely ignores the obligations of the Mandatory Power towards the Arabs, and suffers under the delusion that Great Britain is malevolently frustrating the establishment in Palestine of a Jewish National Home.

The trouble appears to lie with the erroneous interpretation of the Balfour Declaration as a promise to establish Zion as a State or a nation. In spite of the *Herald-Tribune*, such a promise was never given or implied. The Mandate envisaged nothing more than the establishment of a Jewish National Home in Palestine, consistently with the maintenance of the position and rights of the Arab population. There had to be a limit to Jewish immigration, a limit not imposed by the British Government but by the absorptive capacity of the country. The aspirations of the more uncompromising sections of Zionist opinion cannot be expected to weigh. The aim of Britain must be to prevent racial and religious differences from leading to a repetition of the sad incidents of last year. An honest effort towards this end has been foreshadowed. There are symptoms of a progressive impulse which should be admired. If keen Zionists are taken aback by indications that the British Government intends to exercise a firmer control than hitherto, perhaps they may realise on second thought that their own excessive enthusiasms assisted in bringing matters to this pass.

## Over-Production.

Some weeks ago, at the Imperial Conference, Mr. J. H. Thomas dwelt on the paradox of over-production, saying that people are forced to go hungry because there is too much wheat, while many others have to go without decent clothing because too much cotton is grown. As we all know, the world to-day is suffering from a tremendous economic depression, in which all countries are faring poorly. Yet, at the same time, there never was a time in the world's history when it had the capacity to produce so much at so little expense. There is—either actually in existence or immediately available—a great plenty of everything that men all over the world need, but because of some defect in the machinery somewhere, this very surplus, this skill with which humanity can meet all of its wants, simply operates to make a bad situation worse. The result is that a great many people, scattered all the way from the United States to China and from the Argentine to Scotland, do not have nearly enough of anything. Nor is that all. Producers of various kinds, from farmers to manufacturers, complain that they are not able to make money—retail prices remain high. The price of bread, for instance, has not followed the price of wheat down the toboggan. The farmer's hard luck is not the consumer's gain. Somewhere at the back of all of this there would seem to lie a major defect in our machinery of distribution. From foodstuffs to radios, from blankets to sewing machines, mankind at last is able to produce far more than enough to go around; but this ability is beginning to look more like a curse than a blessing.

The first concert of the winter season was held at the Helena May Institute last evening, the greater part of the programme being sustained by the Hongkong Orchestral Society under the conductorship of Mr. F. Mason. It was a real pleasure to hear such a delightful series of orchestral numbers played with much taste and understanding, and future appearances by the Society will be keenly awaited. The supporting artists were Mrs. Snowden Jones and Mrs. Portallion, each of whom contributed charming songs, and Mrs. Shand, whose pianoforte numbers were much enjoyed.

In charging a Chinese with being in possession of 14,000 dutiable Fou Chiang cigarettes, R. O. Grimmit, before Mr. Williams at the Central Police Court this morning, intimated that the defendant had three false tobacco dealers' passes which showed that he was a smuggler. He had produced one of the passes when arrested yesterday. A fine of \$300, or four months' hard labour, was imposed.

## DAY BY DAY

NOTHING BETRAYS A MAN'S CHARACTER SO MUCH AS HIS MANNER OF LAUGHING.—Ernest E. Ashford.

There was a clean bill of health in the Colony yesterday.

Silk forwarded from here by "Empress of Japan" on the 2nd October, arrived in New York (St. John's Park) and Hoboken on the 21st. October having been 19 days in transit.

It is advertised that the annual meeting of the Anti-Mui tsai Society will be held in the Auditorium of the Chinese Y.M.C.A., Bridges Street, on Saturday, October 26, at 2.30 p.m.

The tourist ship Malolo is expected to arrive here at 9 a.m. on Sunday, and will sail at 5 p.m. on Tuesday next for Honolulu and San Francisco via Manila, Bangkok, Singapore, Batavia, Macassar, Sydney, Wellington, Auckland, Suva and Pago Pago.

Mr. B. de Souza of 133, Waterloo Road, has reported to the police that an Austin Seven which he left parked near the Star Ferry at 5 p.m. yesterday was found to have vanished when he returned for it at 10 p.m. The vehicle is valued by its owner at \$1,000.

A Chinese was charged before Mr. Butters at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, with having disobeyed a banishment order made in September, 1929. He pleaded that he came back to look for a job. Sentence of six months' imprisonment and 20 strokes was imposed.

Revenue Officer Tallon before Mr. Butters at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, charged two Chinese with possession of 70 gallons of Chinese spirit, on which duty had not been paid. The defendants pleaded guilty and were fined \$500 or six months' imprisonment each.

Arrested on October 10 in possession of a quantity of seditious literature, calculated to cause a breach of the peace, a Chinese who appeared before Mr. Lindsell, at the Central Magistracy this morning, was sentenced to six months' hard labour. The defendant, a Sanitary Department coolie, was arrested in Queen's Road Central.

A Chinese was charged before Mr. Butters, at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, with the theft of a blanket from the Empress of Canada. An alternative charge of having received stolen property was also preferred. The defendant said he was employed in a boarding house, and he had been instructed to remove the blanket and baggage, which belonged to a passenger. He did not know that the blanket belonged to the C.P.R. Mr. Butters discharged the defendant.

E. V. LUCAS discusses

## SHOPPING MYSTERIES.

THE remark of a lady, during a conversation on shops, that iron mongers' shops were her favourites, leads me to consider this one of the more admirable (if possible) than the other; the fruiterer can test with his connoisseur's fingers, peaches and pears until the perfect half-dozen are set apart; but the post-office attendant has nothing to do but woodenly serve. One stamp is no better than another and no worse. All the artistry of selling is absent, and all the competition; so that at the end of the day, where the zealous, clever, persuasive assistants, in those other shops, get praise and are flushed by it, the post-office attendant hurries away unthanked. "Do have some more of these nice penny-halfpenny stamps"; "All the smart people's telegrams are long just now"—we are never tempted to be extravagant in post-offices by phrases such as these.

But how contented they should be, the sellers of stamps and money orders, that they are not called upon to extol everything as the best; as dealers in old curiosities and antique furniture feel it their duty to do, and, perhaps even more so, the dealers in pictures. Few things are more annoying than to be instructed in the superlative merits of a picture by the man who depends for his living on getting rid of it.

Leaving post-office attendants on one side, I should say that the shopkeepers who do not want to sell are always preferable to those who do. Second-hand booksellers, for instance, often part with their wares with great reluctance—a charge that cannot be brought against motor-car salesmen. And silversmiths neither badger nor wheedle; nor are they heavy swells who do not wait to smoke till after closing-time. And what a beautiful stock they keep! Silversmiths have reserve and dignity, drawn, perhaps, not a little from this stock, with its noble and aristocratic associations. Jewellers, surrounded by precious stones, ought to gather distinction, too, but do not. The very nature of their business forces upon them worldly shrewdness and suspicion, so that the candour that can mark the silversmith and the second-hand book-seller is quickly overlaid. Every customer may be a thief, every customer may be a swindler; and these possibilities lead to caution. Again most of the customers who are financially sound are men buying presents for women accompanying them, and these transactions call not only for no little diplomacy at the time, but a carefully controlled memory afterwards. With so many complications, it is no wonder that jewellers are sophisticated rather than simple.

There is one mystery connected with shopping that I have never (Continued on Page 7.)



"I wonder how he stands on disarmament, Mother?"



## THE Y.M.C.A. MOCK PARLIAMENT.

### CLOSE SHAVE FOR THE "GOVERNMENT."

#### LIBERALS ABSTAIN FROM VOTING.

#### LABOUR CHALLENGE.

The Liberals, abstaining from voting on the Labour amendment, which featured nationalisation, saved the Tory Government from defeat at the opening of the Y.M.C.A. Mock Parliament last evening, the King's Speech and the motion of confidence in His Majesty's advisers being adopted.

The "House" assembled in full number, whilst the Visitor's Gallery was taxed to capacity. Exchanges between the Government and Opposition benches were keen throughout, and the divisions proved most exciting.

Mr. P. S. Cassidy was elected as Speaker to the "House," on the motion of Mr. C. Carruthers (Prime Minister) seconded by Mr. G. Sims (leader of the Opposition). He was escorted with due dignity to the chair and afterwards read the "King's Speech," which outlined the Government's proposed methods of treating the unemployment and depression of industry problems by safeguarding and Imperial Preference, together with the agriculture policy of a guaranteed wheat price for home farmers and a tariff on imported cereals and other foodstuffs.

The Premier formally proposed a motion of loyalty to His Majesty, informing him of the confidence of the "House" in his advisers. Mr. S. A. Gray (Chancellor of the Exchequer) seconded.

#### Shoddy Document.

Mr. G. Sims, leader of the Labour Party, in proposing an amendment that the "House" had no confidence in His Majesty's advisers, said that never had there been a more shoddy document placed before Parliament at the beginning of a session. It was undigested, irrelevant and full of deliberate evasions. For years the leaders of the Government party had tried to put Protection before the country, but the country had turned it down, as it always would.

On the other hand the leader of the Liberal Party, a position which he noticed had already changed hands (laughter), clung pathetically to his one and only policy. Describing the Government's policy as full of sops, Mr. Sims said that when Imperial Preference was mentioned, clear thinking was lost in the cheers for the Empire. The Government drew a veil over their face and badgers across the trail on the question of unemployment and pride in the Empire, in order to foist tariffs upon the country.

With its agriculture policy, the Government had made a shabby reply and had thrown out sops to the farmer and farm labourers. He suggested that the whole matter of agriculture should be gone into from fundamentals, with the reorganisation of the whole system.

#### Government "Sops."

Another Government sop was emigration. This had been tried ever since the war and had never succeeded. All of the Government proposals were bluffs and sops, by which they must not be deceived.

The Prime Minister in reply said that the Government were not there to listen to windy speeches from the opposition, but to settle the problems of the nation. He reminded the leader of the Opposition that he had forgotten all about World Free Trade (laughter).

Free Trade was adopted by the Liberals before it became a religion, and when it was a correct economic policy: when England had the export market of the world, and when she could afford to buy in the cheapest and sell in the dearest markets. Her trouble now was to find markets in which to sell. England had lost her markets at home and abroad to countries who had raised industries under a protective barrier.

This could be better understood if he read to them figures of last year concerning imports into England. Total imported manufactured goods amounted to £483,000,000, of which £400,000,000 came from foreign manufacturers, representing a third of our total imports.

Tariffs would help to bring more land under cultivation: by stimulating home demand for British products, would set our factories working nearer to full capacity and thus reduce overhead charges and eventually prices: find markets for England in her Dominions and Colonies; give them a lever to bargain with foreign nations

## A FAMOUS MAITRE D'ARMES.

### DEATH OF FINEST SWORDSMAN OF FRANCE.

Paris, Sept. 25.  
M. Louis Merignac, the famous maitre d'armes, died yesterday at Neuilly of a heart attack at the age of 84. The son, brother, and father of maitres d'armes, Louis Merignac, was for years accounted as beyond question the finest swordsman and the greatest master in France.

Formal international fencing competitions did not exist in Merignac's time, but in 1890, when he had already retired from regular work at the somewhat early age of 42, appeal was made to him to give combat to the celebrated Italian master, Pini, who had met and defeated almost every other fencer of the day.

Louis Merignac resumed his fencing-jacket and signally defeated the fierce and electric Italian.

He was a man of fine physique, with a lion's head and a sweeping moustache. He was the first fencing-master to become first knight and then officer of the Legion of Honour.

and reduce prices for selling abroad.

#### The Tariff Scheme.

His scheme was for a ten per cent. tariff on iron-ore, fruits, sugar and raw materials such as jute: no Imperial tariff on wool and no tariff on raw cotton: small Imperial tariff on meat and 10 per cent. preference over foreign negotiable cereals and foodstuffs generally: a foreign tariff on all manufactured goods and specially safeguarding measures for our industries.

Mr. F. Rees (Labour) in seconding the Opposition amendment, quoted figures to show that in protected countries such as Germany and America, unemployment reached a very high figure, and that America had stated that Protection was useless for bringing prosperity to a country. He taunted the Government that they had failed to include the coal problem in their policy, and referred them to their exploitation of the workers in 1926. They had then appointed a Commission to enquire into the question, only to turn down its findings and suggestions.

Mr. S. A. Gray (Chancellor of the Exchequer), replied, and in denying the attempted exploitation of the coal workers by the Conservative Government in 1926, reminded the "House" of the worker's endeavour to destroy the constitutional Government upon which had been founded much of England's greatness. He pleaded that Free Trade had been tried for years and had failed. Now was the time to meet their competitors on their own ground. England could no longer call the tune: they were playing the piper, and they could not afford to fight with kid gloves, but must have weapons of equality. By the imposition of traffic and Preference, the Government were confident, not only of giving new life to industry, but of gradually solving the unemployment problem and with it the dispensation of the "dole."

#### Liberal's Claims.

The "House" then debated the amendment, in the course of which Mr. Moore (Liberal) raised derisive cries by asserting that the Liberals won the war.

The Prime Minister:—Verify your facts.

Mr. Moore:—I prove them in the same way as you prove yours.

Mr. Sweet (Labour) said the verbiage of the speeches had left him floundering in a morass as though he had been stung by one large jellyfish (laughter).

Mr. A. W. Brown (leader of the Liberal Party) said that the Liberals would abstain from voting on the amendment on the labour issue of Nationalisation.

Mr. E. R. Price (President of the Board of Trade) said that the whole country was turning towards Preference, as could be seen by the recent attitude of the London Bankers and the resolutions of the Manchester and Liverpool Chamber of Trade, who were overwhelmingly in favour of Preference as the only means of saving industry.

Mr. T. J. Price (Liberal) said they did not mind the Labour Party taking their ideas and schemes of Free Trade and of agriculture, and would not mind co-operating with them on those points, but Mr. Sims was swayed by the "left leg of his tail," and must include Nationalisation, which was where they parted from him. He denied that the London Bankers had displayed a desire for Preference.

A motion for the adjournment of the debate from the Government was defeated on a division, but by 16 to 15 the "House" divided to reject the Labour amendment of "No Confidence," the Liberals as a whole abstaining from voting.

The "House" afterwards adjourned for one month.

## THE TANGANYIKA TROUBLES.

### 'EUROPEANS A MINOR CONSIDERATION.'

#### COMPLAINTS OF TRANSPORT.

While white settlers in Kenya complain that the Government is not doing enough for them, British people in the mandated territory of Tanganyika go further and make the complaint that the Government is not merely unhelpful, but is actively hostile to the white settler, and that the "paramountcy" of the native, and worse, of the Indian immigrant, is ostentatiously affirmed and bolstered.

The Government is referred to as pre-eminently a tax-gathering institution.

A leading member of the firm of Lehmanns Africa, Ltd., who have cotton interests in the Territory, said in an interview with a representative of the *Morning Post* that, as a result of an official statement made about two years ago, Europeans in Tanganyika were regarded as a minor consideration.

"The natives," he added, "are protected by hundreds of Government officials. Game is also well protected: not so Europeans. They

## THE "TELEGRAPH" ART SUPPLEMENT.

### Pictorial Features for To-morrow.

To-morrow's issue of the *Telegraph* Art Supplement will contain a varied selection of topical pictures. Sporting pictures will include the Steeplechase Meeting at Kew, several photographs in connexion with the Steel Coulson Billiards League, the closing day at Taihook Recreation Club, and some interesting pictures of a miniature golf course on the Peak. There will also be a portrait of L. Roza Pereira, the Harbour Swim winner, and a group of the Hongkong Hotel football team.

Weddings illustrated will be those of Capt. A. M. Duncombe Jewell and Miss G. L. Craik, and of Mr. Shum Tai-kai and Miss Tung Wai-yin. Other illustrations will be of Rear-Admiral Hill and Staff, a group at the Canton consular dinner to Mr. Douglas Jenkins, and a group of the Executive Committee of the anti-Mui Tsi Society.

are not encouraged. The only solution appears to be co-operation among Europeans here and in Europe.

#### Many Officials.

The agitation of the British element for equal treatment, he continued, was handicapped by the fact that the majority of white settlers in Tanganyika were either Government officials in unnecessary positions, or employees of banks or firms who were debarré from expressing political opinions.

The transport system of the Territory was totally ineffective. Through lack of governmental capacity, railway communications were held up for three months this year in the rainy season, and as a result the interior was cut off from supplies.

In some cases private citizens had had to build their own roads, for instance, that from Morogoro to Duthumi, and they had to do without certain essential bridges. The Indian trader, who was the middleman of the community, had no understanding of the British conception of contractual obligations, and had no compunction about repudiating an embarrassing contract. But the Government did nothing about it, and there was no chance of redress. The bankruptcy laws were in a state of primitive inadequacy.

### 21 YEARS AGO.

#### SOME EXTRACTS FROM THE "TELEGRAPH" FILES.

The following extracts are from the *Hongkong Telegraph* for the week ended October 23rd, 1909.

The rate of the dollar on demand was 1s. 8 1/3/16d.

At a Gymkhana Meeting at Happy Valley, Mr. C. G. Mackie, riding Garth, won the cup for the highest number of points secured during the season.

The death occurred of Mr. A. C. Botelho, for many years in the service of the Harbour Office.

A typhoon struck the Colony, doing considerable damage ashore and afloat. The Life-Saving Corps was on duty for the first time.

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## COLLEGE FOR THE POLICE.

### 2-YEAR TRAINING FOR FUTURE CHIEFS.

#### "P.C. SMITH, P.C.C."

The Committee set up by the Home Secretary to advise on the formation of a Police College assumed the need for such a centre for the intensive training of likely occupants of the higher posts in the Constabulary, and their report has been framed to suggest how this can best be brought about.

They have gone further, however, and recommend that during the second part of the educational course officers should be given the opportunity of travel and, where possible, be actively attached to foreign police forces.

They also recommend that research work in the detection of crime should be an important function of the College.

The Committee suggest that police authorities and officers of all ranks should have the opportunity of considering the scheme before it is put into force. In general, the Committee recommend the establishment of a College within fairly easy reach of London, managed by a committee representative of all branches of the police force throughout the country, to provide a two-year course for about 50 officers. In the first years however, they see the necessity of providing for a greater number.

#### Scientific Aids.

The College should "afford opportunities such as do not now exist for developing and bringing into extended use scientific aids and modern facilities in the way of communications, transport, &c., and for studying and profiting by experience gained in police work of various kinds, not only in England but in other countries where comparable problems are faced by the police."

The Committee see the necessity of providing for the better instruction of existing officers of high rank who could not be spared to take the whole two-year course, and suggest that these should attend a special course of lectures applicable to their positions. This, of course, would be different from the research side, on which the Committee obviously place a great deal of confidence, and which would become a most important part of the work of the College.

If the Committee's idea is carried out in full, this research department might become one of the utmost value and render much of the work at Scotland Yard and provincial headquarters redundant.

#### Rewards.

The Committee recommend that candidates should be under 35 years of age and should be selected after examination at their local centres. It is recommended that there should not be a passing-out examination, nor should candidates be placed in order of merit, and the Committee make the wise recommendation that "the Principal and his staff should keep continually before them the fact that the College is designed to produce men fitted to become senior officers of police and not merely men with high academic qualifications."

Rewards for original work are recommended up to a maximum of £100.

The Committee agree that candidates who pass out from the College should receive some special designation such as P.C.C. (Police College Certificate).

The total charge falling on the College funds (including the pay and allowances of officers) is estimated at from £65,000 to £75,000 a year, and the Committee recommend that the cost should be regarded as part of the normal police expenditure of the country.

## SHOPPING MYSTERIES.

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understood, and that is the favour extended to customers who come with special introductions. We all know the people—we have suffered from their boastful conversation—who go only to the shops where they get so much off—a discount ranging from five per cent. to thirty-three and a third. How such concessions are obtained I have no notion; but I know this, that the claims of poverty have nothing to do with it. The reverse, in fact, for once again unto those that have is more given.

It would not be to me—a good advertisement for any shop for the fact to be known that thirty-three and a third per cent. is taken off for others. On the contrary, the news would irreconcilably antagonise me. The persons to whom these easy terms are conceded, I believe, are implored never to mention it; but as they always do, and with extraordinary triumph, the mischief is done. How much better to withhold all preferential treatment and lower the prices for one and all!

London, Oct. 23.  
The President of the Federation of British Industries has set up two committees, one of which will consider the type of tariff which can best meet the situation, and the best methods of arriving at reciprocal trade agreements, with the Dominions; while the other committee will elucidate a comparative industrial policy.—*British Wireless.*

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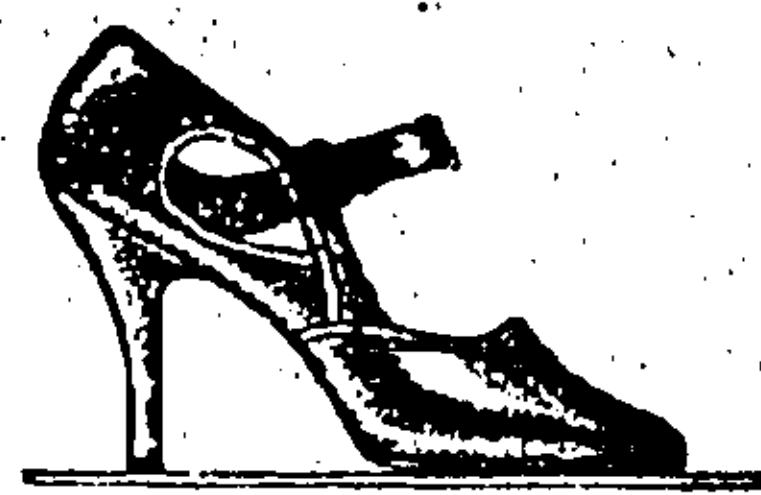
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The old Frees in Hongkong held a dinner at Lane Crawford's on Tuesday in celebration of the 124th Anniversary of the Penang Free School. A very pleasant and enjoyable evening was spent by all those present. The toasts of the occasion were proposed by Mr. H. F. Un. The following were present: Messrs. H. F. Un, F. Y. Khoo, K. T. Loke, P. S. Lee, R. S. Tinsington, E. H. Ong, T. W. Goh, K. S. Ng, G. S. Choong, H. C. Goh, K. T. Lim, W. H. Tan, B. P. Tan and C. Y. Yeap.



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## ROWING. PROSPECTS.

### HORNELL CUP HEATS FOR TO-MORROW.

Intensive training is being put in by the crews taking part in the Hongkong Yacht Club Regatta on Saturday, November 1st, and everything points to a successful meeting.

The crews, particularly those contesting in some of the Hong events, are displaying more than usual keenness, and to-morrow some first-class racing is promised when the heats for the Hornell Cup are to be rowed.

Taikoo have drawn a bye into the finals, on the Club's opening Cruise Regatta which is to take place on November 1, and their crew is T. S. Marshall (bow), J. R. Hinton (No. 2), L. W. Whips (No. 3), H. Crawford (stroke), and J. B. Lanyon (cox).

The crews to take part in to-morrow's heats are H. K. Electric, P.W.D., Ewo and A.P.C. Three of these four will compete with Taikoo in the finals. The crews are: H.K. Electric—W. Stoker, M. H. Arnold, G. T. Padgett, R. W. Smith, and E. Thompson.

P.W.D.—R. C. Keen, J. M. Purvis, F. Baker, K. S. Robertson and F. P. Lenfesty.

Ewo—A. H. Chambers, R. D. Grove, J. Kendrew, H. Dullely and A. Murdoch.

A.P.C.—T. Lindars, B. J. Moore, G. T. May, R. G. Edwards-Jones and R. Young.

These heats will be rowed off at 3.30 p.m., and will be followed by the heat for the Junior Pair Oar Challenge Cup, when T. Lindars (bow) and J. M. Purvis (stroke) will be opposed to Reck and Golecki. The winners will compete with H. Kuhrt and F. Pater-son, who have drawn a bye to the finals to be rowed on November 1st.

### A Canton Entry.

In the Novices' Cup, Canton are expected to send down one four, while the V.R.C. are expected to put in two. The Yacht Club will have two crews competing for certain, and are hoping to enter a third. Their present crews comprise H. Paterson, H. Kuhrt, H. Stehr, E. Becker, and A. Velecki, M. N. Cockrane, J. E. L. Parry and F. M. Hartley.

Should time permit on November 1st, the heat for the Senior Pairs will be rowed, the competitors being G. T. Padgett and J. D. H. Crawford versus A. H. Chambers and H. Rulley. The winners will meet Reck and Schmidt, who have drawn a bye, in the finals on November 8.

On November 8th, the 4th Submarine Flotilla Cup will be rowed for. For this, entries have been received from P.W.D., Ewo, Taikoo and A.P.C. The first three crews will be the same as those contesting in the Hornell Cup, but A.P.C. will be represented by a different personnel, namely M. N. Cockrane, J. E. L. Parry, T. Lindars and F. M. Hartley.

## PING PONG LEAGUE.

### LATEST RESULTS IN THE LADIES' SINGLES.

Playing in the above tourney, Miss Wong Yuen-lan beat Miss Chu Kau-sun (3 sets to 2), Miss Yu Man-sang beat Mrs. Altanza (W.O.), Miss Lo Kit-hing beat Miss Lai Chui-yen (3 to 2) and Miss Wong Yuen-lan beat Miss Lai Chui-yen (3 to 2).

Latest results in the Junior League are as follows:  
Fukien A.A. beat Indian R.C. (W.O.), South China A.A. beat Commercial Press 28 to 7, Nam Chung beat I. R. C. 25 to 6, Chinese J.A. beat Kango School 18 to 17, Hip Keung A.A. beat Hip Wah A.A. (W.O.), Fukien A.A. beat Ho Hong Bank 26 to 9, Hin Kun School beat Filipino Club 30 to 5.

## LOCAL FOOTBALL TO-MORROW.

### TWO INTERESTING GAMES IN KOWLOON.

#### CLUB V. ARGYLLS.

(BY "WANDERER.")

While apparently there is no match of outstanding importance, all the Senior League matches down for decision to-morrow, are expected to provide keen tussles, those in Kowloon offering the most difficult task for the would-be prophet.

The fixture list follows:

#### Senior Division.

Royal Navy v. Chinese Ath.—Stadium, 4.30.  
Club v. Argylls.—Club, 4.30.  
Police v. St. Joseph's.—Kowloon, 4.30.  
Recreio v. Kowloon.—Recreio, 4.30.

#### Second Division.

R.A. v. Navy Res.—Sookunpo, 3 p.m.  
Chinese v. Recreio.—Stadium, 3 p.m.  
South China v. University.—Caroline Hill, 4.30.  
St. Joseph's v. Club.—St. Joseph's, 3 p.m.  
Argylls v. Somersets.—Chatham Road, 4.30.  
Kowloon v. Eastern.—Kowloon, 3 p.m.

#### Third Division.

R.A.S.C. v. Somersets.—Chatham Road, 3 p.m.  
R. E. v. Pakien.—Chinese, H. V., 4.30.  
South China v. R.A.O.C.—Caroline Hill, 3 p.m.  
Chinese Ath. v. R.A.F.—Chinese, H. V., 3 p.m.

#### Kowloon Games.

The keen struggles between Kowloon and the Club de Recreio are always apt to provide surprises and the critic is more than usually handicapped in estimating the probabilities by the fact that each team has played only one league match. The Recreio shone in their solitary game and Kowloon failed to maintain early promise. To-morrow's match being on the Recreio ground, the odds would seem to favour the Portuguese. Kowloon are changing their formation considerably, while the Recreio make one change from last Saturday's highly successful team.

The Police entertain St. Joseph's on the Kowloon ground, and it is likely to be a tough and go until the final whistle. The Police have a lot of improvement to effect before they can be regarded as a good team, though their spirited rally a week ago has given them new confidence. A draw seems distinctly likely.

#### The Club's Task.

The Club are fielding George Duncan at outside right for their match against the Argylls, who have yet to concede a goal. Otherwise, the Club team is unchanged. The Argylls have struck me as more likely to come a cropper in a match of this kind than they are against a side of high reputation. At all events it should be an interesting game.

At the Stadium the Navy meet the Athletic who are generally expected to capture both points.

The Navy Reserves should find little difficulty in maintaining their league record against R.A. Reserves, but the Somersets, who are running them close, are up against a stiffer proposition in the Argylls. The University should just manage to beat South China, Eastern will start strong favourites

## FANLING GOLF.

### STARTING TIMES FOR SUNDAY.

9.24 a.m.—J. D. Humphreys and J. Thayer.  
9.28 a.m.—A. Leach and R. Young.  
9.32 a.m.—G. G. Johnston and R. L. S. Webb.  
9.36 a.m.—J. Harrop and E. R. Price.  
9.40 a.m.—A. D. Humphreys and O. Eager.  
9.44 a.m.—D. J. Gilmore and J. Stuart.  
9.48 a.m.—A. B. Lanyon and P. S. Grant.  
9.52 a.m.—A. G. Coppin and E. Des Voeux.  
9.56 a.m.—C. J. D. Law and R. G. Edwards Jones.  
10.00 a.m.—W. C. Clark and S. S. Perry.  
10.04 a.m.—E. M. Bryden and D. Black.  
10.08 a.m.—R. E. Atwell and W. A. Butterfield.  
10.12 a.m.—M. G. Mills and J. R. Collins.  
10.16 a.m.—A. C. I. Bowker and V. R. Gordon.  
10.20 a.m.—I. H. Geare and A. B. Purves.  
10.24 a.m.—A. Ritchie and W. J. Clerk.  
10.28 a.m.—S. J. Fox and F. C. Cleland.  
10.32 a.m.—H. U. Ireland and H. Spicer.  
10.36 a.m.—C. E. Holmes and L. G. S. Dodwell.  
10.40 a.m.—B. D. Evans and T. S. Whyte Smith.  
10.44 a.m.—A. E. Lissaman and D. S. Robb.  
10.48 a.m.—H. C. Shrubsole and J. S. Dykes.  
10.52 a.m.—A. O. Brawn and A. Macfarlane.  
10.56 a.m.—H. R. Sturt and J. W. Alabaster.  
11.00 a.m.—J. N. Grant and D. Ellis.  
11.04 a.m.—F. Black and J. R. Younger.  
11.08 a.m.—W. D. Harris and A. F. Simmie.  
11.12 a.m.—A. C. Ellis and C. B. Brown.  
11.16 a.m.—J. D. A. Hutchison and I. G. Allison.  
11.20 a.m.—L. Yates and C. Mycock.

#### PROBABLE TEAMS.

Probable teams for to-morrow include:

Recreio:—Beltrao; Silva-Netto, Xavier; Sousa, A. V. Gosano, Roza Pereira; B. Gosano, Ward, Silva, Rocha and Brown.

Kowloon:—Angus; Bliss, Pile; Gilchrist, Downman, Patterson; Eastman, Hedley, Gillett, McKelvie and Ianston.

Club:—Rodger; Strange, Bishop; Segalen, Stewart, McBride; G. Duncan, Bell, Goldman, A. Duncan and Wallington.

Argylls:—Gardiner; Blackburn, Henderson; Gordon, McGlashan, Yeoman; Christie, Wylie, Campbell, McQuade and Hughes.

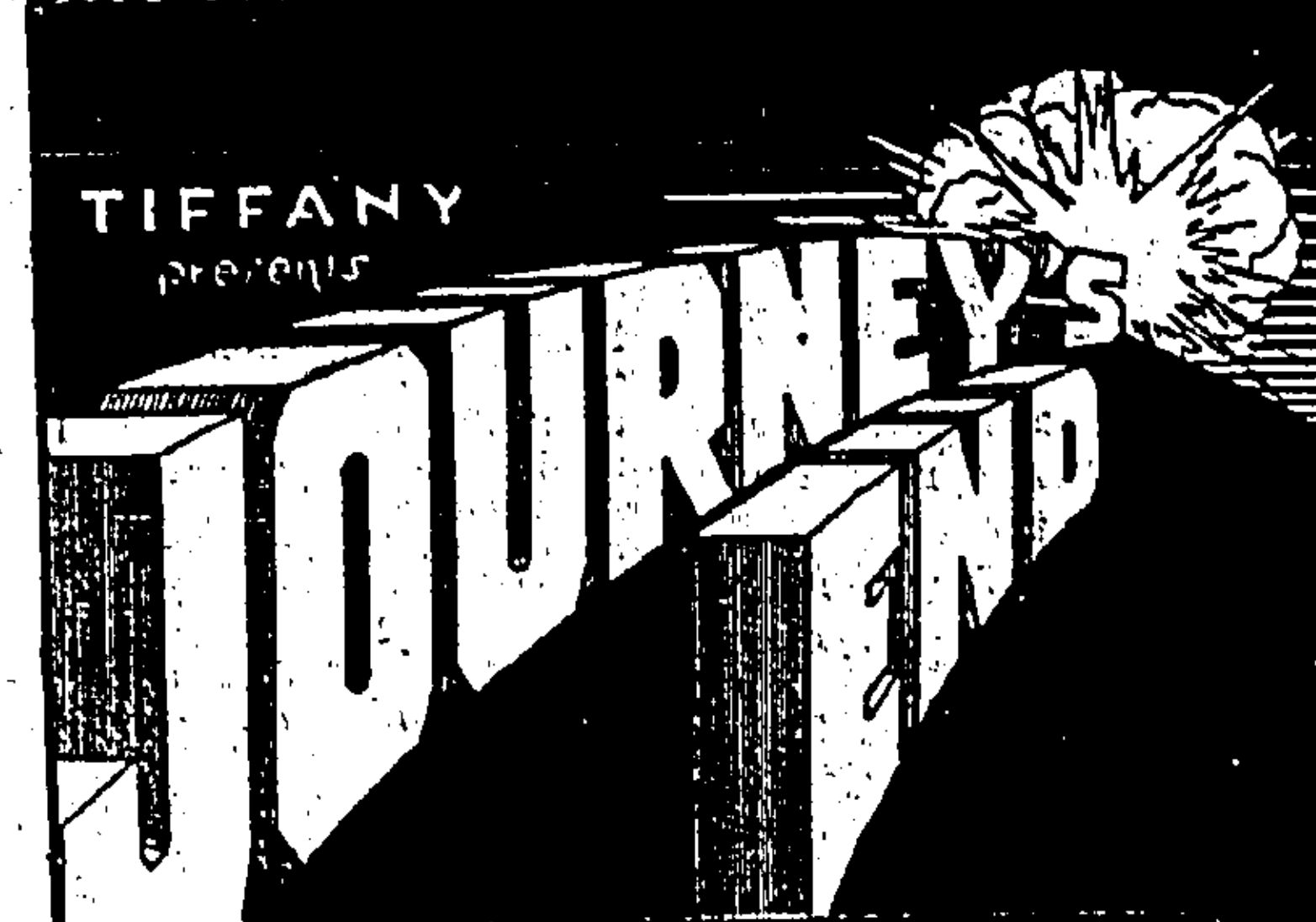
Recreio 2nd:—W. Lawrence; E. Lawrence, Costa; Silva, Figueiredo, Marques; d'Assis, Oliveira; Gonsalves, Santos and Sousa.

Kowloon 2nd:—Gurevitch; Moss, Hast; Smith, Simpson, Parkinson; White, Davies, Cotton, Everest and Bickford.

Club 2nd:—Fogwill; Stoker, Hynes; Sloan, Punccheon, Krilovsky; Peers, Gray, Strange, Jackson, and Fowler.

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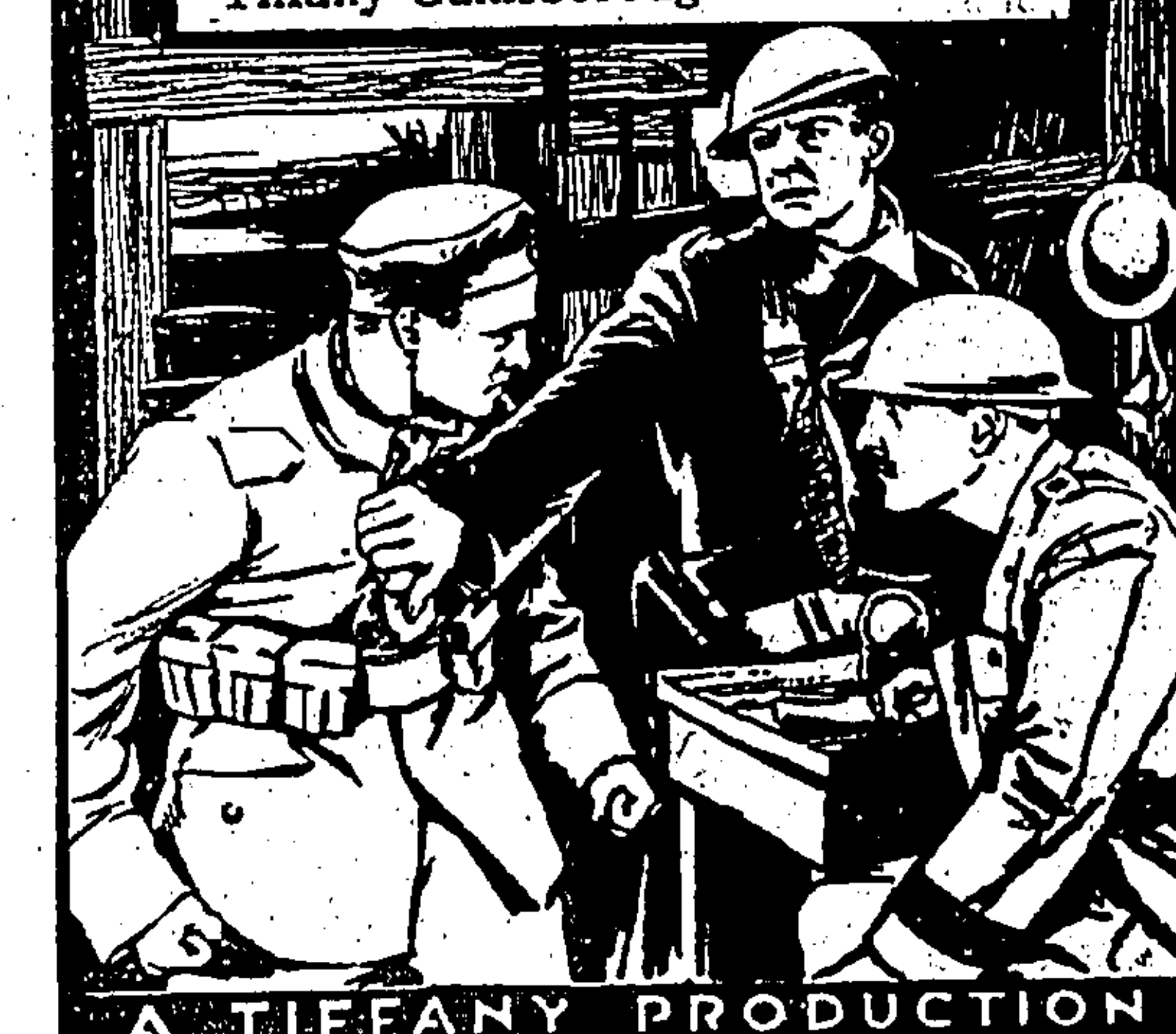
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## LOCAL CRICKET.

### H.K.C.C. TEAMS FOR TO-MORROW.

The following have been selected to represent the H.K.C.C. on Saturday:  
1st XI (Home) v. Army.—H. Owen, Hughes, A. C. I. Bowker, A. C. Beck, E. J. P. Mitchell, J. Hiley, K. H. Batger, E. R. West, G. R. More, E. R. Duckitt, R. H. Wild, O. E. C. Marton, E. W. Hunt (12th man).  
2nd XI (Away) v. University.—W. W. Mackenzie, J. L. Bonnar, R. S. W. Paterson, M. C. McFarlane, P. W. J. Plummer, A. J. Wolf, J. H. Ashworth, J. D. A. Hutchison, H. J. Armstrong, S. J. Slaneby, E. R. Davies, E. J. Collins (12th man).

Mr. R. T. Barrett, formerly of the staff of the Hongkong Daily Press, is returning to Hongkong. With Mrs. Barrett and two daughters he left London on the Hakusan Maru on September 25.

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Stockholm.....	18.105	18.10
Vienna.....	34.455	34.455
Madrid.....	46.35	46.35
Bucharest.....	818	818
Montevideo.....	39 1/2	39
Hongkong.....	1/3 1/4	1/3 1/4
Brussels.....	34.855	34.855
Milan.....	92.825	92.825
Copenhagen.....	18.16	18.16
Prague.....	163 1/4	163 1/4
Rio.....	4 1/2	4 1/2
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5.00 p.m. Chinese programme.

7.00 p.m. European programme of Columbia records selected and supplied by Messrs. The Anderson Music Co. Parsifal-March of the Knights of the Holy Grail (Wagner).

Regimental band of H.M. Grenadier Guards. DX75.

Invitation to the Dance (Weber).

Band of The Gardé Republicaine. 50230.

Sylvia Ballet-Valse Lente (Debussy).

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7.30 p.m. From the Studio: Rev. Mr. H. R. Wells will give the 12th Lesson from "Cantonese for Everyone."

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Marie Burke-Soprano. DB109.

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Squire Octet. DX68.

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Harry Dearth-Baritone. DX19.

Song of the Waterfall.

Scent of the Jasmine.

Squire Celeste Octet. DB107.

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Willem Mengelberg and his Concert Orchestra. DX6.

10.30 p.m. Close down.

## SEIZED PRIESTS.

REPRESENTATIONS BY FRENCH AUTHORITIES.

Peking, Oct. 23.

It is learned that in addition to the Chinese and foreign priests and nuns already reported, eight Chinese priests are in the hands of Communists at Kianfu.

The French Legation has instructed the Consul-General at Nanking to make representations to the Central Government for the release of the captives. The French Consul at Hankow has also made representations to the Kiangsi authorities.—*Reuter*.

## NORWAY'S POLITICS.

### LABOUR REMAINS THE LARGEST PARTY.

Oslo, Oct. 23.

Despite the loss of twelve seats in Monday's General Election Labour remains the largest party in the new Parliament, which is composed of 47 Labourites, 44 Conservatives and Liberals, 33 Radicals and 25 Agrarians.

The feature of the elections was the Labour party's bid for power with a programme which included a Capital Levy, complete disarmament and the nationalisation of banks. With a slightly less Soviet-like attitude they gained striking success at the polls in 1927 and formed a Government which lasted only a fortnight. The other three parties have since combined to keep them in check.

It is noteworthy that the Communists, who had three seats in the last Parliament, now have none.—*Reuter*.

## THE COTTON TRADE.

### MANCHESTER INTERESTS TO CO-OPERATE.

London, Oct. 23.

The Home Secretary and the President of the Board of Trade in Manchester yesterday, interviewed, said that each section of the cotton industry in Manchester had received impressive assurances from those concerned of willingness to co-operate in wholesale marketing or the carrying out of any scheme which would add to the efficiency of the industry and increase its world competitive policy.—*British Wireless*.

## SOVIETS' VICTIM.

### YOUNG MR. JOWETT NOW SERIOUSLY ILL.

Peking, Oct. 23.

Young Mr. Christopher Jowett, who was recently released from Russia, is now confined to his bed, seriously ill, with a temperature of 104.

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## LADIES' HOCKEY.

### TWO GAMES ARRANGED FOR SATURDAY.

There will be a match between the Club de Recreio and the Hongkong Ladies' Hockey Club, on Saturday, at Soekunpoo at 3.45 p.m. Teams are as follow:

Club de Recreio.—C. Osmund, M. Busto, H. Leite, E. Xavier, M. Alves, H. Guterres, C. Botelho, C. Silva, E. Rocha, A. Alves, M. Remedios.

H.K.L.H.C.—G. E. Little, F. A. Cousins, B. V. Franklin, F. Webber, E. Bonnar, E. O'Hagan, I. C. Bell, J. L. Whyte, E. M. Donelan, C. M. Ferguson, M. Bishop.

There will also be an inter-club match—Colours v. Whites—on the Naval ground, at Happy Valley. Bally off 3 p.m. Teams are as follow:

Colours.—J. Smalley, E. Gray, E. J. Coppin, A. Owen-Hughes, B. M. Pope, M. L. Wallace, H. Kirkpatrick, N. McNeillie, E. R. Bell, J. Lack, B. Laing.

Whites.—M. King, A. Nichol, P. Carter, S. Browning, A. Duncan, M. Riggs, A. T. Cresser, A. N. Other, P. M. Gondali, M. Smalley, A. E. Steele.

## PHYSICAL CULTURE.

### ANOTHER WINNER OF A SILVER MEDAL.

C. H. Chanatong, of St. Joseph's College, was the third to secure physical culture honours when at a recent examination he successfully went through a graded series of exercises, and was awarded a silver medal by his instructor, Professor Maurice.

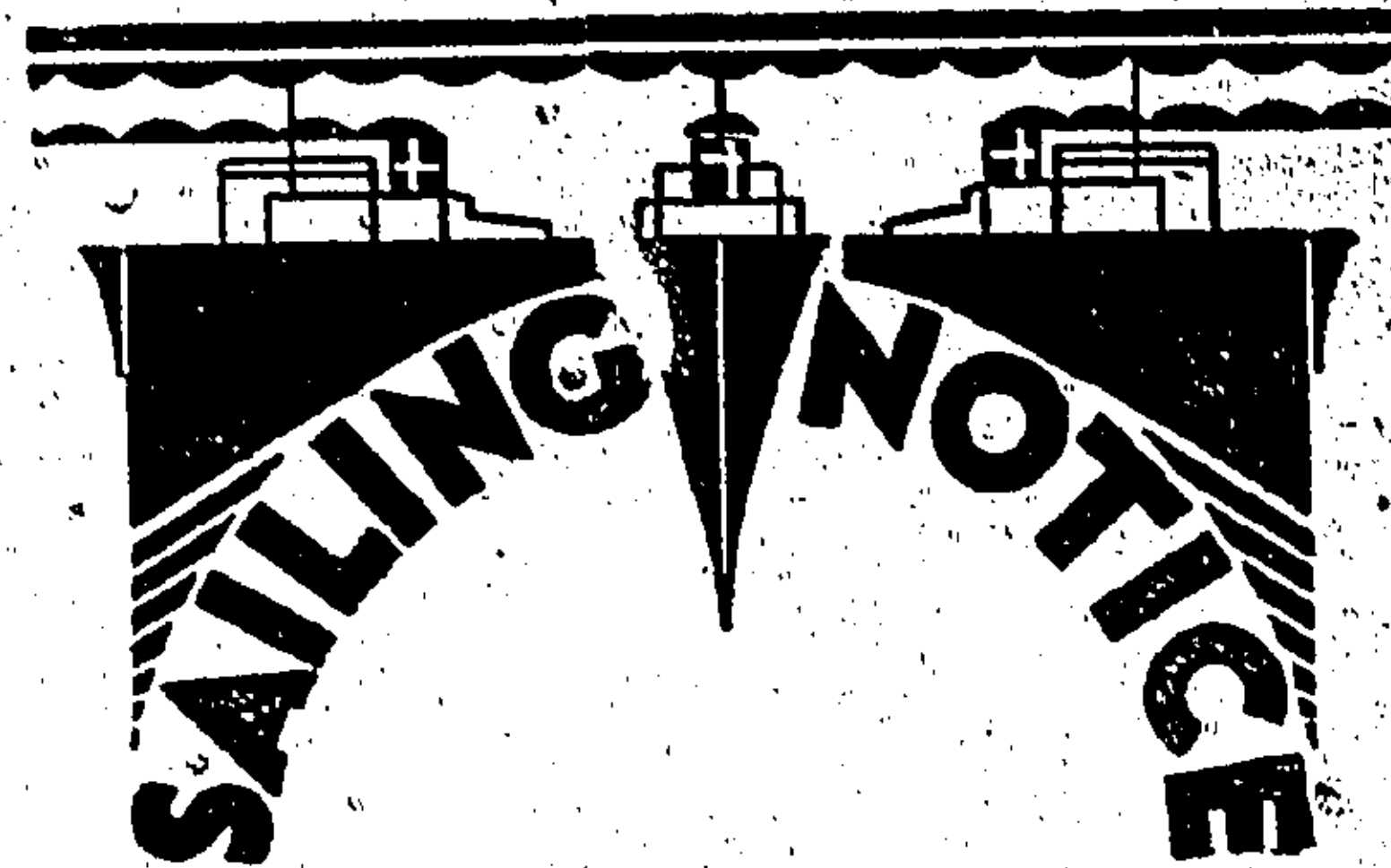
At the same time, the local exponent of physical culture did a two hands clean jerk with a 200 lb barbell with apparent ease. He jerked the weight overhead from the shoulders three times in succession in fine style, and afterwards lowered the weight to the ground by slow motion.

## BASEBALL.

### SEASON TO BE CLOSED ON SATURDAY.

The baseball season will be closed on Saturday, at 5 p.m., when Mrs. H. T. Cressy will give away the trophies to the Champions.

Prior to this, at 3 p.m., an exhibition game will be played between the Japanese (Champions) and a selected team with the following players: M. Chang, E. Chang, M. Goo, T. Leonard, Cruz, Bowen, Zafra, Barros, Simmie, K. K. Leong, Sing, Jan and K. C. Leong.



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## STATE OF CHINA.

H.K. BISHOP'S SPEECH  
IN LONDON.

The Bishop of Leicester presided over a large public meeting held at the Royal Albert Hall on Sept. 24 to wish God-speed to a large contingent of missionaries of the Church Missionary Society who are about to leave for stations abroad. This year the society is sending out to its various missions overseas 263 missionaries, including 53 recruits. A number of the missionaries have already sailed, but 182 were on the platform, of whom 48 are for the Far East.

The Rev. W. Wilson Cash, the general secretary, announced that from China came the message:

"Materialism, Communism, banditry, militarism, and atheism, like a plague, threaten China with destruction. Can Christian England sit still and see her die? All the best of China's sons and daughters know that the Gospel of Christ can save their country, and they cry out to their Christian friends in Great Britain to come over and help them in their endeavour to make that Gospel known before it is too late."

The Bishop of Victoria, Hongkong, in an address, said that, in view of the present circumstances, people were asking, "Ought we to send fewer missionaries to China?" "Is not missionary work in China too dangerous?" The society had already cut down the number of their missionaries there to 203 instead of the 277 they had in 1922. Their numbers in China were pitifully small. With regard to the danger, the whole missionary enterprise had always been a call to adventurous living. China was a big country, and while conditions were impossible in one area they might be perfectly possible in another. The Christian Church was fighting for its very life. There were the difficulties of the civil wars, Bolshevism, rationalism, but however great the difficulties they did not conceal the splendour of a stupendous opportunity. The whole of China was in a state of flux and change. If Christianity was to get into the heart of China the time was now, in this hour of change and readjustment. The next 20 years would offer to the Christian Church an opportunity that would not come again.

## BRITISH AIRCRAFT.

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It is learned that the Air Ministry has placed with the Fairley Aviation Company one of the large orders for British service aircraft recently required by a foreign government.

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## CHIANG KAI-SHEK A CHRISTIAN.

BAPTISED AT SHANGHAI  
YESTERDAY.

Shanghai, Oct. 23.

Marshal Chiang Kai-shek became a member of the Christian Church this afternoon, when he was baptised at the home of his brother-in-law, Mr. T. V. Soong, the Minister of Finance, by the Reverend Z. T. Kuang, a well-known Methodist pastor.

The only people present were members of the family, and relatives, including his mother-in-law, wife and Mr. T. L. Soong, the other brother-in-law.

It is worthy of notice that this is the same religion as adopted by Fung Yu-shiang, the so-called Christian General.—*Our Own Correspondent.*

### Simple Ceremony.

Marshal Chiang Kai-shek and his wife, who arrived from Nanking early in the morning, proceeded to the residence of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Soong, in Seymour Road, in the International Settlement, where the simple ceremony was performed in the afternoon by the Reverend Z. T. Kuang, who is the Chinese pastor of the Young Allen Memorial Church, Shanghai.

Among those present was, besides Mr. T. L. Soong, who is the chairman of the Whangpoo Conservancy Board, Dr. C. T. Wang, the Foreign Minister. Both these are Christians.

The pastor asked Chiang Kai-shek whether he sincerely desired to become a Christian, and the President replied in firm tones in the affirmative. The pastor then sprinkled the convert and welcomed the President into the Christian Church.

### A Startling Secret.

It is noteworthy that Mrs. Soong's sons-in-law include the late Dr. Sun Yat-sen and Doctor H. H. Kung, the Minister of Commerce and Industry. The Soong family are all Christians. The baptism was kept a profound secret, and has startled Shanghai and Nanking, as there was not the slightest knowledge of Chiang Kai-shek's intentions outside the family circle.

Coming at a time when Chiang Kai-shek, after a hard-fought campaign in which more than once he seemed doomed to defeat, has emerged victorious as head of the National Government, the President's baptism is a striking blow to the Communists, who at present are hunting down Christians in Kiangsi and elsewhere in the Yangtze valley, and is likely to form a striking precedent with a far-reaching effect on the future Government of China.

Chiang Kai-shek, as indicated, has joined the Methodist denomination.—*Reuter.*

## SHANGHAI TRAGEDY.

RUSSIAN PRESS CORRESPONDENT FOUND DEAD.

Shanghai, Oct. 23.

A local foreigner named Rafael Rafaloff, a Russian newspaper correspondent, has been found dead in Cathay Apartments here, to-day. He is believed to have

## KOWLOON DRAMATICS.

TWO PLAYS BY ST. ANDREW'S  
CLUB MEMBERS.

Encouraged by the success of their two previous productions in the amateur dramatic line, members of St. Andrew's Club will present to the public two further attempts to-night, at 9 p.m., in St. Andrew's Church Hall, Kowloon. The proceeds of these plays will go towards the V.D.M.A. Funds for the furtherance of missionary work in the diocese. Mr. S. A. Sweet, a comparative newcomer to the Colony, is the producer of the plays.

### "The Boy Comes Home."

A one-act sketch by A.A. Milne depicts the return of a young man from the front. The play shows the difficulties with which he has to face his old uncle in the choice of careers. The play is full of humorous, as well as dramatic moments. The timidity of Aunt Emily, the fiery entry of cook and her subsequent and timorous exit, the heated words between uncle and nephew, the vivid description of movements at the front, the satirical references to the "Jam business," and finally the boy's threat to shoot his old uncle, all go to make the play interesting from beginning to end. The role of the Boy (Philip) is taken by Reginald Woolley, and Mr. S. A. Sweet enacts the part of Uncle James. Mrs. J. W. Baldwin was originally picked for the part of Aunt Emily, the mid-Victorian lady of the play, but unfortunately she went to hospital with appendicitis some two weeks ago, and Phyllis Woolley very kindly stepped into the breach. The docile maid is played by Marjorie White and Rita Cole is the angry cook.

### "The Crimson Cocoon."

The second production is an absurdity by that very popular author Ian Hay. It is entitled "The Crimson Cocoon," and is farce. Spaghetti's Restaurant, in Soho, is chosen as the scene for the activities of a couple of anarchists, who import "a new and terrible bomb to blow up the Bank of England." Robert, the waiter of the Restaurant, and who is in "sole charge of the establishment" is responsible for many humorous situations. The audience will be kept in fits of laughter from the very start until the dramatic climax and the revelation of the crimson cocoon. The sketch is full of action all through and one is not kept anticipating the next move for long.

The role of Robert, the Waiter, is very cleverly enacted by Mr. J. W. Baldwin, and the two anarchists by Maud White as Madame Glierinski and Richard Wong as Nitro Glierinski. Anthony L. Cole of the C.I.D. plays no small part in the play, as also Mr. Jabstick, taken by Norman Mackay, and Nancy, his daughter, by Rita Cole. Included in the programme will be songs by Mr. C. W. Liddon-Cole, songs at the Piano by Miss McGill, a pianoforte solo by Miss Winifred Robinson and monologues by Mr. S. A. Sweet.

poisoned himself before shooting himself in the head.

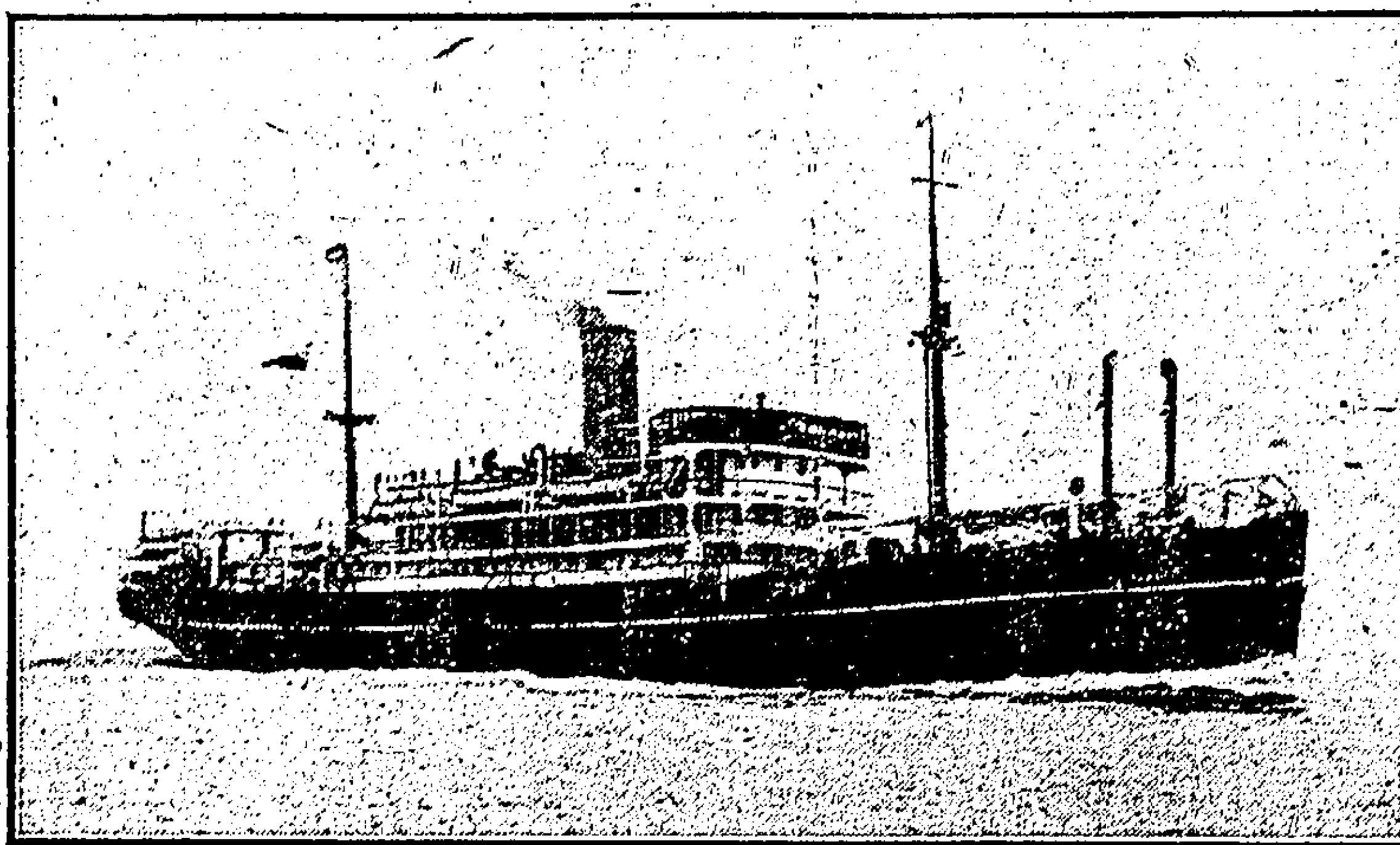
He was with the Angasta News Agency in Harbin last year; when he worked with a brother of Mr. Lenox Simpson.—*Our Own Correspondent.*

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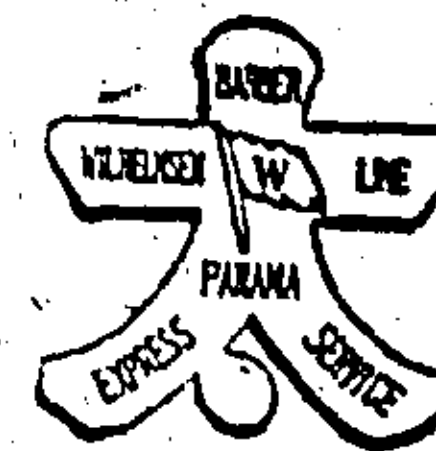


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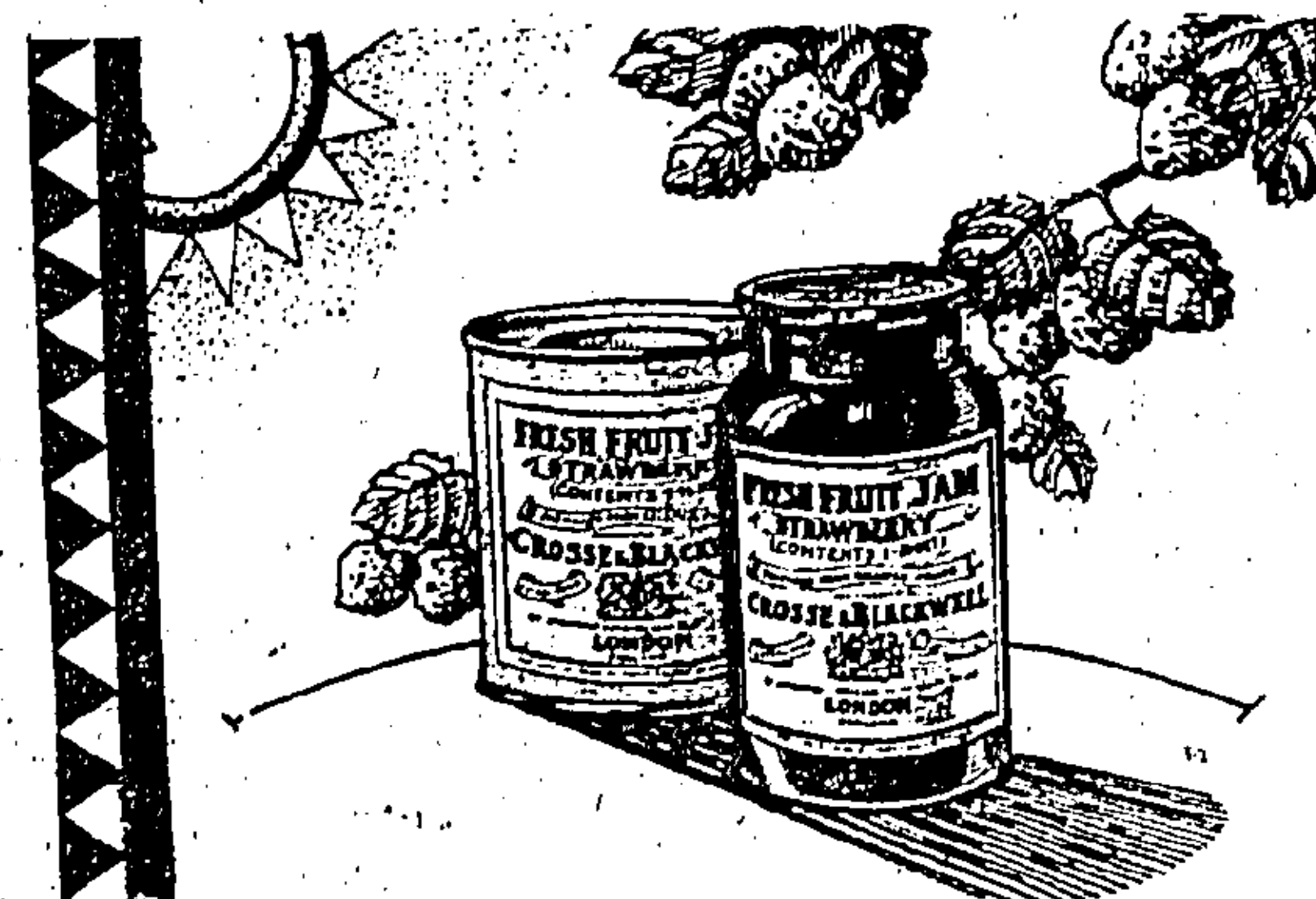
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### JEW'S CHARITABLE BEQUESTS.

ESTATE OF THE LATE SIR M. MEYER.

### THREE LOCAL WILLS.

Bequests for charitable work among believers of the Jewish faith are contained in the will of the late Sir Manasseh Meyer, late of No. 3, Oxley Rise, Singapore, who died at Singapore on July 1, this year. He left a large estate of which the sum of \$25,300 is located in Hongkong. Re-sealing of exemplification of probate of the will and codicil has been granted to Mr. C. E. H. Beavis, of Messrs. Wilkinson and Grist, who is attorney for testator's sons at Singapore, who are the executors. The will states "I direct that my three sons shall, during the first year after my decease, attend regularly at the Synagogue and perform the usual and customary ceremonies, and shall remit to Jerusalem for my Yeshiba \$20 per month, being \$5 each for four persons to read for me, and to say Kedish, two in the day and two at night; and shall remit \$25 per annum to Jerusalem to be applied on every anniversary of my decease for supplying food to the Yeshiba people and their families."

Another extract directs:—"I direct that my Synagogue at Oxley Rise, and my Hebrew School in Bencoolen Street, which are now vested in my sons as trustees, together with six houses in front of the school by way of endowment, during the life of the last survivor of my said sons and the term of 21 years thereafter, shall, if and so far as the income from the endowment or otherwise is insufficient to be upkept, be maintained substantially as in my lifetime, including food for the pupils and salaries for teachers, out of my estate, that is to say out of the income of the property specified in the next clause."

Among other bequests, testator directs that out of the income from his property the sum of £75 must be paid yearly to the Yeshiba Beth Israel at Jerusalem in continuation of his annual donation, which he had paid for many years past. After other bequests are met, the residue of the net income is to be applied for charitable institutions or educational establishments for the benefit of persons of the Jewish religion.

The will also states:—"I declare that if any child or grandchild of mine shall cease to profess the Jewish religion or intermarry with a Gentile, such child or grandchild, from the date when he shall cease to profess the Jewish religion or intermarry with a Gentile, shall be deprived and divested of all life interest or any other interest under my will, and of any share in the corpus of my estate."

Included in the will are family bequests.

### Three Other Estates.

Ching Lum, alias Ching Cho-fai, alias Kung Wo-tong, late of No. 6, Babington Path, Hongkong, who died at Tai Ping Maloo, Shekhi, Heungshan, Kwangtung, on June 25, last year, left Hongkong estate which has been valued at \$49,000. Letters of administration with the will annexed have been granted to Mr. D. L. Strellett, of Messrs. G. K. Hall Brutton and Company, who is attorney for the eldest son, Ching Ah-sing, of Honolulu City, Hawaii, who is the sole executor and trustee. Everything is bequeathed to the executor for the benefit of the family.

Hongkong estate to the value of \$29,500 was left by Yip (or Ip) Sing-yuk, alias Yip Ping-wong, alias Yip Ping-cheung, late of No. 18, Elgin Street, who died intestate at the Yeung Wo Nursing Home, on July 2, this year. He was a bachelor and was survived by two brothers. Letters of administration have been granted to his eldest brother, Yip Ming-hin, No.

### OPIUM SMUGGLING FROM CANTON.

THREE MORE CULPRITS ON TRAIN.

The smuggling of opium by Chinese from Canton appears to be on the increase. Yesterday two men were produced before Mr. Butters, at the Kowloon Magistracy, and fined heavily for possession of opium. This morning three further cases were disposed of.

In all instances the men were arrested at the Kowloon Railway Station after they had alighted from the Canton train.

One man was charged in respect of 80 taels of raw opium, which Revenue Officer Tallon stated was concealed in his jacket. A fine of \$2,400 or eight months' imprisonment was imposed. A second man was charged in respect of 28 taels of raw opium. He was fined \$840 or five months' imprisonment.

The third man was charged with possession of 38 taels of prepared opium. He was fined \$4,500 or one year's imprisonment.

### STONE-THROWING IN KOWLOON.

TWO LADS ORDERED A CANING.

Two Chinese boys were charged before Mr. Butters, at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, with throwing stones near the Po Hing Theatre to the danger of the public.

Inspector Marks said there had been a great deal of trouble recently, caused by stone-throwing at the Po Hing Theatre, and there was sure to be a serious accident one day. A warning had been issued, but there appeared to be no abatement of this hoodlums.

Both defendants were ordered to receive 12 strokes of the cane.

### KIDNAPPED BOY.

WOMAN ARRESTED ON A STEAMER.

Sentence of one year's imprisonment was imposed by Mr. Butters, at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, on a Chinese woman, who pleaded guilty to receiving and harbouring a Chinese boy.

The father of the child informed a Chinese detective that his son was missing, and on information received, a detective went on board the s.s. Hong Lee, and there saw the defendant with the child.

### SPANISH AIRMAN SENTENCED.

PRISON FOR SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES.

Marind, Oct. 23.  
Major Franco, the airman who attempted to fly to America last year but was forced to alight at sea and was rescued by a British warship, has been sentenced to two months' imprisonment for subversive activities in connexion with the recent Republican demonstrations.—*Reuter.*

25, Cuine Road, the second brother having renounced his right and title.

She Pai-in, who died on April 29, this year, at Shun Tak, Tai Leung, Kwangtung, late of No. 118, Wellington Street, left local estate worth \$25,600. Probate has been granted to She Leung-chuen and She Pik-chuen, second elder brother and eldest son respectively, both of No. 198, Wellington Street. Everything is to be handed over to the executors to be administered upon trust.

### REPORTS STAGE APPROACHING.

WORK OF THE IMPERIAL CONFERENCE.

### PREMIERS CONVERSE.

London, Oct. 23.

The Premier, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, in the interval before the next meeting of the heads of the delegations to the Imperial Conference, is having conversations with the various Dominion Premiers in which the work of the Conference is being reviewed.

He has already had a long talk with the Australian Premier, Mr. Scullin, and will have conversations with the others in turn.

The different Committees formed to deal with the various subjects on the Conference agenda have now dealt in detail or in general terms with the matters before them and several have reached an agreement on the recommendations to be laid before the Conference. Their Reports have first to be drafted and revised before presentation to the delegation heads and to the Conference.

No decisions will, however, be taken except by the Conference in plenary session.

Among the Committees sitting to-day was that dealing with overseas settlement which heard statements by delegates representing the United Kingdom, the Dominions and Southern Rhodesia.

The figures for the last two years show that British emigrants receiving assistance under the Empire Settlement Act numbered 48,000 in 1929 and 72,000 in 1929, the last mentioned figure including 27,000 who went to Canada under the special £10 rate scheme for British emigrants.

The total British emigration to all parts of the Empire was, in 1926, 109,000, and in 1929, 107,000.

In the first six months of the present year 21,983 have gone to Canada, including 19,000 who have received State assistance, nearly 14,000 having gone under the £10 rate scheme, 4,228 to Australia, including 1,506 State assisted and 1,505 to New Zealand, of whom 505 were State assisted.—*British Wireless.*

### ARSON CASE RESUMED.

DISCHARGED MAN GIVES EVIDENCE.

On the re-appearance of five men, before Mr. Lindsell at the Central Police Court this morning, in connexion with the case of alleged arson at 77, Winglok Street, Chief Detective Inspector Reynolds withdrew the charges against the fifth defendant and put him into the witness box.

Mr. O. E. C. Marton appeared for the first two defendants, the proprietor of the shop and his son.

According to the discharged defendant, the first two defendants and another son of the proprietor went to 63, Des Voeux Road, where witness was sleeping on the night of the fire. He was told by the son (not in custody) that witness should not return to 77, Winglok Street, as the premises were on fire and he (witness) would be arrested. Witness also stated that on the day previous to the fire, the third defendant had two tins of kerosene and a quantity of shaving and waste taken to 63, Des Voeux Road.

The hearing was adjourned till to-morrow noon.

Mr. G. Hollingsworth Bond, a member of the firm of Messrs. Denison, Ram and Co., F.R.I.B.A., architects and civil engineers, has qualified as Associate of the Incorporated Association of Architects. Mr. Bond, who is at present on home leave, is due back in the Colony early in the New Year.

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